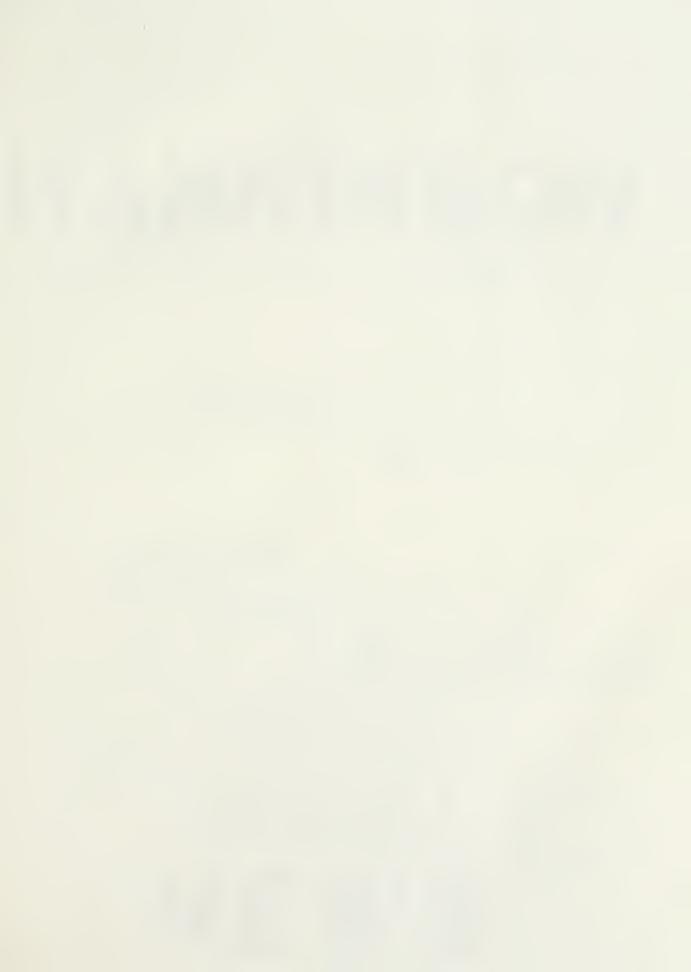
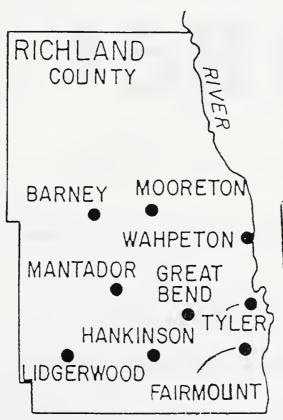
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#### HANKINSON NEWS

VICTOR NEWS....A shower was held Tuesday afternoon at the Oscar Ekstrom home in honor of Miss Alma Kittelson, a bride of the month.

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September 2, 1937

MANTADOR....Mrs. Wm. Althoff entertained a number of ladies at a shower in honor of Miss Berthilda Althoff, of Mooreton, who is a bride of the near future. Mrs. Althoff served ice cream and cake to the guests. Miss Althoff received a number of nice gifts.

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September 2, 1937

LAMARS....Stanley Robert and wife, of Minneapolis, spent a few hours in this neighborhood Sunday.

Stanley was married Saturday evening to Miss Dorothy Comstock, of St. Paul. They were enroute to Nampa, ID., to visit his folks and a sister, Mrs. Raymond Kiel at Palouse, WA. They will return thru Glacier National Park on their way to their home in Minneapolis.

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September 2, 1937

#### McKEITH - NELLIS

Mr. and Mrs. Roy J. Nellis, of Ripon, WI., announce the marriage of their daughter, Norma to Mr. Arthur C. McKeith on Saturday, Aug. 21st. The service was in charge of the groom's father, Rev. George R. McKeith of Medford, WI. She was attended by Miss Gertrude Fish of Ripon, and the best man was Frank Himmelmann, of Medford.

Mr. McKeith, a granduate of Ripon College, was a member of the Hankinson High School but graduated from Medford High. He is associated with Barlow & Seeling as an engineer. The bride is employed by the same firm. They are spending a honeymoon in eastern states, and upon thier return will reside in Ripon.

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September 2, 1937

#### WEDDING BELLS

Ferns and baskets of pastel colored gladioli formed an altar in the R. C. Stock home on Sunday afternoon for the marriage of Miss Doris Stock, of Washington, DC., daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Stock of Glenwood, and Walter E. Rule, of Washington, DC. The Rev. Peter Jansen, of Sauk Center, read the services at 4 o'clock.

Miss Ada Stock, pianist, wearing a yellow mousseliene de soie of princess style with high neckline, played the nuptial music. Miss Marion Stock played a violin solo.

The bride, who was given in marriage by her father, wore her mother's wedding dress, a gown of white silk muslin, made with long sleeves, tucked and trimmed with hand made lace, a high neckline outlined by tucks and edged with the same lace. The skirt was full with a slight train and an overskirt trimmed in the same edging. She wore a Juliet cap of seed pearls. A string of matched pearls and a blue turtoise bracelet, a gift of the groom, were the only jewelry worn. She carried a colonial bouquet of white roses.

Miss Marion Stock, maid of honor, wore a delphinium blue mousseliene de soie gown

fashioned on princess lines with a basque styled blouse. She carried a bouquet of pink gladioli. Miss Marjorie Stock, the other bridal attendant, wore a pink mousseliene de soie gown fashioned on princess lines with a tailored jacket of fingertip length. Her bouquet was of orchid gladioli, Both wore bracelets of triple string pearls, the gift of the bride. Mr. Dale Stock served as best man.

Mrs. R. G. Stock, mother of the bride wore a gown of sheer crepe in floral pattern with a shoulder corsage of talisman roses. A reception immediately followed the ceremony with Mrs. A. E. Nelson in charge. Miss Ada Stock presided over the guest book.

Mr. and Mrs. Rule are motoring to Colorado and New Mexico for three weeks before returning to Washington, DC., where Mr. Rule is patent attorney for the General Electric Corporation. Mr. Rule is a graduate student of the Univ. of Colorado and George Washington University. He is a member of Pi Kappa Alpha social fraternity and of the Phi Delta Phi legal fraternity.

For going away the bride wore a navy blue triple sheer alpaca suit with blue accessories. Out of town guests were: Miss Grace Larson, of Fargo, ND., Miss Florence Larson, of
Ames, IA., Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Phelps, of Battle Lake, MN., Mr. and Mrs. Bradford Shank, of
Chicago; Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Aldrich and son, Billy, and Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Lee and son,
Allen, of Hankinson, ND.

Mr. and Mrs. Rule will be at home after October 1st at 1700 North Uhl Street, Arlington,
VA. 

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#### SHOWER AT ERCINK HOME

VICTOR NEWS....Miss Alma Kittelson, who spent a couple of weeks at her home here went to Wheaton, Thursday morning, from which place she took the bus to Howard Lake, MN. Her sister, Miss Cora Kittelson, accompanied here for a couple of weeks' stay there and to act as bridesmaid at her sister, Alma's wedding which will take place next Friday.

Thursday morning at St. Boniface Catholic Church, Delores Bonzer, of Lidgerwood, and Dr. Willis B. Shepard, of Linton, were united in marriage. They started Wednesday Sept. 15th for Alaska to be gone six weeks. When they return they will be at home at Linton.

# \* \* \* \* \* \* \* \* \* \* \* \* September 16, 1937

# MARRIED AT SISSETON

George Ziegelman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Ziegelman and Iverdine Solstrom, of Garfield, MN., were quietly married by Judge Ponath, September 10th. Their attendants were Wilbur Ziegelman, brother of the groom and Elfrieda Hingst, cousin of the groom. Friends are glad to extend congratulations and best wishes.

September 16, 1937

#### FAIRMOUNT WEDDING

FAIRMOUNT NEWS....Florence Jackson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. Parkill, of Fairmount, ND., became the bride of Helmer Flaa, of McCauleyville on Thursday, August 26th, at three o'clock in the afternoon at Breckenridge. Rev. P. A. Gisvold, pastor of the Bethal Lutheran Church of Wahpeton officiated.

September 16, 1937

MANTADOR.... A large number from here attended the wedding dance at Mooreton Tuesday night of Bertilda Althoff and Alois Lingen.

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September 16, 1937

BELFORD.....Word was received by Mrs. Herman Weber of the marriage of her nephew, Oliver Gerber and Miss Claudia Stepheni on Sept. 18th. Both are of Kenasha, WI. The Webbers were former Hankinson residents.

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September 23, 1937

#### BRIDAL SHOWER

A bridal shower was held Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Bohn in Great Bend in honor of their daughter, Miss Regina, of Fergus Falls, who was married to Ninerd L. Aasness recently. The ceremony was a double one, Miss Inez Mc Gray, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Mc Gray, being united in marriage to Lyle Sha, of Fergus FAlls.

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September 23, 1937

# WEDDING BELLS

#### ANNOUNCE COMING WEDDING

The marriage of Florence M. Dennstedt, 3429 Park Ave., to Wm. T. Fitzpatrick, 4023 Wentworth Ave., will take place on October 16th, at the Church of the Incarnation, 38th St. and Pleasant Ave. S., Minneapolis. Miss Dennstedt was formerly of Hankinson.

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September 30, 1937

#### MEYER - BAKER

Miss Lorraine Meyer and Harry Baker were united in marriage Saturday by Rev. O. Eyrick, at the brides home. The bridesmaid was Miss Pearl Baker and the best man was Vern Meyer.

The bride is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Meyer. The newlyweds will live in the home just vacated by Orrie Bakers, the Bakers having just moved to the Henry Wurl home.

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September 30, 1937

BELFORD.... A shower was given in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hoyem (nee Clara Stoltenow) at the home of her mother, Mrs. Lena Stoltenow, of Great Bend Sunday afternoon.

Friends and relatives of this community attended. The bride was the receipient of many beautiful and useful gifts. \* \* \* \* \* \* \* \* \* \*

September 30, 1937

#### FALL WEDDINGS ARE SOLEMNIZED

On Saturday morning, Oct. 2nd, at 9 o'clock, occurred the marriage of Miss Leona Constance Dahl to Mr. Max Wipperman, Jr., at the First Lutheran Church at Fargo, Rev. Selrer A. Berge officiating. Preceeding the ceremony, Miss Doris Brunsvold sang two numbers, "Because," and "O Promise Me." accompanied by Miss Mirian Narum, on the organ.

The bride wore a gown of white satin and a veil of Belgium lace, and carried bridal roses and lillies of the valley. . She was attended by her sister, Miss Hilda Dahl, of Sioux Falls, SD., who wore a gown of dusty pink taffeta and carried an arm bouquet of Talisman roses. The groom was attended by Mr. Arthur Dahl, of Fargo.

Following the ceremony, a breakfast was served at the Graver Hotel, to twenty guests. After a week's motor trip, Mr. and Mrs. Wipperman will be at home in Hankinson. They will live in the beautiful new house constructed by Mr. Wipperman this summer, one of the finest in the state.

To the newlyweds, from their host of friends in Hankinson go congratulations and best wishes for happiness. \* \* \* \* \* \* \* \* \* October 7, 1937

# WAGGONER - DEVINE

On Saturday afternoon at 4:30 at the Lutheran Church parsonage in St. Paul, MN., Miss Beartrice Mary Waggoner, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Waggoner and Mrs. Glen Devine of Fargo, were united in marriage by Rev. C. Grant.

The bride wore a dubonet and gold dress and wore a corsage of yellow roses. Gred Schaeffer, of St. Paul, was bridesmaid and wore a dress of claret silk and a corsage of gladiolis. Mr. Fred Schaeffer attended Mr. Devine.

A reception was given immediately after the wedding. Mr. Devine is employed in St. Paul. They will make their home at 232 Marshall Ave., St. Paul, MN. Mrs. Devine is a graduate of the local schools. She attended Science School 2 years and then accepted a position in St. Paul. \* \* \* \* \* \* \* \* \*

# BLADOW - WIEBUSH

October 7, 1937

On Tuesday, Oct. 5th, a beautiful wedding was solemnized at the Emmanuel Lutheran Church, when Miss Gloria Bladow, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bladow, and Walter Wiebush, of Tyler, were united in marriage by Rev. J. P. Klausler.

The bride wore a white satin wedding gown. It was cut in princess lines. Her veil was cap effect of silk tulle and white lace. The bride carried a bouquet of pale pink roses. The groom wore the conventional blue suit.

Miss Harriet Dibbert was maid of honor and wore a transparent wine velvet dress cut floor length. Miss Dorothy Wiebush, sister of the groom was bridesmaid and wore a floor length blue velvet dress. Arthur and Roy Bladow, brothers of the bride, attended Mr. Wiebush.

With Miss Dawn Holst as accompanist, the Misses Gwendolyn and Lorraine Worner, Ethel Griepentrog, Dorothy Ernst, Pearl and Evelyn Weston sang "O Perfect Love' and "Who Will

Our Pilot Be."

A wedding dinner was served to immediate friends and relatives at the bride's home after the ceremony. Mr. and Mrs. Wiebush will be at home near Tyler following a wedding trip.

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#### THIEL - SCHULTZ

Miss Wilma Thiel, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Thiel, became the bride of Mr. Edmund C. Schultz at a nuptial High Mass Thursday morning at 8 o'clock. Rev. Father Schneider officiated at the ceremony. Miss Loretta Fetes played the wedding march. Attending the bridal couple were Miss Irmina Schultz, sister of the groom and Joseph Thiel, brother of the bride.

The bride wore a two piece green suit, trimmed with brown fur and wore brown accessories to match. Her flowers were pink roses. The bridesmaid, Miss Irmina Schultz wore a two piece brown fitted suit with brown accessories to match. Miss Schultz carried a arm bouquet of pink carnations.

A wedding dinner was served in the home of the bride's parents to the immediate relatives. Miss Ada Wandersee was the table waitress and Mrs. Cletus Puetz and Mrs. Math Thiel prepared the dinner. The dining room was decorated in green and white with a wedding cake baked by Miss Bessie Rybicka adorning the center of the table.

A large crowd attended the reception given in the Mantador Hall Friday evening. Mr. and Mrs. Schultz have the good wishes of the entire community. They will make their home on the farm vacated by Mr. and Mrs. Max Krump and family.

The wedding date chosen was the twenty-fourth wedding anniversary of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Thiel.

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October 7, 1937

#### WACHA - KOPPELMAN

LIDGERWOOD....Miss Benata Wacha, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Wacha, and Ewald Koppelman, of Great Bend, were married Saturday at 2 PM in the Holy Cross Lutheran Church with Rev. Julius Cloeter officiating. After the ceremony a 5 o'clock wedding dinner was served in the home of the bride's parents to 36 guests. The wedding dance was held in the Bohemian Hall in the evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Koppelman left for a honeymoon to be gone for a few days.

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October 7, 1937

#### WOLTER - VOLK

Carl Wolter, son of Mr. and Mrs. August Wolter, was married at a simple ceremony on September 23rd in the Lutheran Parish House in Sisseton to Miss Helena Volk, of Devil's Lake.

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October 7, 1937

# FIKE - HINCK

A candlestick service Saturday night, August 21st, in St. Paul's Lutheran Church united Miss Rosa Hinck, of E. Liberty St., Ann Arbor, MI., daughter of Mrs. L. Hinck, of Osseo, MN. and William Fike, of Ypsilanti, son of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Fike, of Findlay, OH.

Miss Hinck, who grew to womanhood in the Great Bend vicinity, was a high school graduate, and also a graduate of the Minot Normal School. She taught several years in the vicinity of Hankinson.

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October 14, 1937

#### VEDDER - BLADOW

On the 16th of September, at the Evangelical Parsonage in the evening, Viola D. Vedder, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Vedder, and Raymond Bladow, son of Mr. C. Bladow were united in marriage by Rev. O. Eyrich. The couple are living at the groom's home north of town.

The bride is a graduate of the 1937 class and the wedding was kept secret for a time. Friends extend congratulations.

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October 14, 1937

A large crowd of relatives and friends gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jake Luick Sunday afternoon in honor of their son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Luick, who were recently married. The afternoon was spent socially with a delicious lunch at 5 o'clock. The young couple received many lovely gifts.

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October 21, 1937

#### WEDDING BELLS

Miss Martha Berndt, of Fargo, daughter of Mrs. Mary Berndt, was quietly married to Arnold Foss, of Fargo, Saturday. They came to Great Bend the same evening and a wedding dinner was served at the bride's mother's home to twenty-two relatives.

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October 21, 1937

Saturday evening at the German Evangelical Church parsonage, Rev. O. Eyrich performed a double wedding at 7 o'clock when Myrtle Griggs of Fairmount, and Clarence Gollnick were married and also Simon Stave of Hammer and Hazel Tasa of Sisseton. Mr. and Mrs. Gollick will make their home with the groom's parents.

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October 28, 1937

# FAIRMOUNT WEDDINGS

FAIRMOUNT....Lillian Anna Wettstein became the bride of Carl Allen Rehm at a pretty wedding solemnized at St. Anthony's Church, Tuesday morning. Rev. Father Bierens performed the ceremony.

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Coming as a surprise to her many friends and her parents as well was the announcement received last week, that Jeanette M. Sletting, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Sletting, was united in marriage to Mr. Donald D. Tilgner of Kirksville, MO., on Sunday, May 30th.

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October 28, 1937

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Abbott and Arlene returned Saturday from Rockford, MN., where they attended the wedding of Mr. Abbott's niece, Miss Bernice Anderson, who was married on Friday.

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October 28, 1937

#### ENTERTAIN

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Bohn entertained a number of their relatives. Mr. Bohn's sister and

husband, Mr. and Mrs. DeGrey, of Minneapolis, who were recently married, are here for their honeymoon.

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#### WEDDING BELLS

# Medenwaldt - Coppin

Roland Medenwaldt, son of Mrs. Herman Medenwaldt and Lorraine Coppin, daughter of Mrs. Sarah Coppin, were united in marriage Thursday evening at the German Evangelical Church parsonage by Rev. G. A. Eyrich. Norman Pankow and Doris Coppin were witnesses.

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November 4, 1937

## PETERSON - BLADOW

A few relatives gathered at the Elmer Peterson home to attend the wedding of their daughter, Verna Peterson, when she became the bride of Elmer Bladow on Saturday evening at 6 o'clock, Pastor J. B. Falkanger, of Minneapolis, MN., officiating. The best man was LeRoy Bladow, a brother of the groom, and the bridesmaid was Myrtle Peterson, a sister of the bride.

A large crowd of friends gathered in Hankinson Friday evening to attend a parcel shower which was given in honor of the newlyweds.

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November 4, 1937

#### BRUNKHURST - BLADOW

Miss Elsie Brunkhurst and Arnold Bladow were united in marriage Thursday by Rev. Schumacher at the Tyler church parsonage. The couple will make their home in the Evenson's bungalow on the south side of town.

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November 4, 1937

GREAT BEND....A miscellaneous shower was given at the Mrs. Mary Berndt home Sunday afternoon in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Foss, who were recently married at Fargo.

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November 4, 1937

#### WEDDING BELLS

A quiet wedding took place on Wednesday, when Miss Lola Brummond, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Brummond of Hankinson, became the bride of Mr. John Poss, son of Mrs. Susan Poss, of Barney.

The bride wore an ankle length gown of wine color velvet with hat and accessories to match and carried a bouquet of yellow roses. She was attended by Miss Margaret Rieland who wore a velvet gown of rust color with accessories to match and carried a bouquet of chrysanthemums. The groom was attended by his brother, Norbert Poss.

#### WEDDING BELLS

Tuesday morning, at St. Philip's Church, Rev. Myron Schuh officiated at a Nuptial High Mass which united Mary Anne Krump, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. P. Krump in marriage to

Peter Scheller, son of Mr. and Mrs. Leo Scheller.

Attendants were Mary Scheller, sister of the groom, and George Fischer. The bride was charmingly attired in a rose-rust satin dress with brown accessories. The bridesmaid was gowned in a wide crepe dress.

The couple will make their home with the groom's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Scheller. The best wishes of many friends will follow them throughout their married life.

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November 25, 1937

#### OSTBY - DIFFERDING

Sievert Ostby and Helena Differding, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Differding, were united in marriage Friday at St. Philip's Chapel, Father Schuh officiating. The couple will live on Mr. Ostby's farm south of Hankinson, and friends extend felicitations.

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December 2, 1937

#### BOMMERSBACH - MOEN

Edward Bommersbach, son of Mr. and Mrs. Anton Bommersbach and Miss Esther Moen, of Larimore, ND., were married Nov. 20th, at Larimore, ND. Mr. Bommersbach has been in a CCC Camp for 3 years at Larimore.

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December 2, 1937

#### SHOWER GIVEN

LIDGERWOOD....The home of Mrs. Nellie Carey was nicely decorated with pink and white streamers for the miscellaneous shower held there Sunday evening in honor of Grayce Rasmussen, whose marriage to Claude Carey was held on Tuesday. Lunch was served to a large number of guests and relatives. Alta and Opal Rasmussen, sisters of the bride-to-be, and Mrs. Holmes from Breckenridge, attended.

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December 2, 1937

HAMMER....The community gave a shower at the Firkinstad Church last Sunday for Mrs. Simon Stave, a bride of two weeks. The ladies had brought lunch baskets and coffee was cooked in the basement where the serving was done. Mrs. Stave received a number of useful gifts.

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NEW EFFINGTON...Dan Cupid claimed one of our New Effington boys, Saturday, Nov. 6th, when Garfield Bredvik was united in marriage to Miss Charlotte Carlson, of Minneapolis, MN., the marriage took place at Angola, IN. They will make their home at Flint, MI.

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December 2, 1937

#### O'BRIEN - BIRCHEM

ROSHOLT....The St. Nicholas Church was the scene of a pretty wedding, Thursday at 9 o'clock, when Hazel Mary O'Brien became the bride of Mr. Victor Birchem. Father Englehart performed the ceremony. The attendants were Leo O'Brien and Mary Birchen. The young couple will live on the Jim Larson farm south of Rosholt.

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December 9, 1937

WEDDING BELLS

Wednesday afternoon at the Evangelical Church, Rev. O. G. A. Eyrich officiating, Miss Ruth Muehler, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. August Muehler, and Gilbert Buckhouse, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Buckhouse, were united in marriage. The bridesmaids were Misses Alice Muehler and Alice Medenwaldt. The groom's attendants were Clarence Buckhouse and Roland Roeder.

The bride wore a brown silk lace tunic over a brown silk crepe skirt and a combined brown velvet and gold metallic lame hat with shoulder length veil and carried a bouquet of yellow chrysanthemums. The bridesmaids were eleanor blue and navy blue.

The double ring ceremony was used. Miss Frances Eyrich played the nuptial music. The couple will make their home with the bride's parents and a host of friends extend congratulations and best wishes.

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December 9, 1937

#### VOSS - HARDIE

Mr. Newell Hardie and Miss Ethel Voss, of Rosholt, were united in marriage Saturday afternoon in White Rock, SD. As wedding attendants they chose the bride's sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Stelton. A wedding dinner was served at the bride's home at 5 o'clock. The immediate relatives of the contracting parties being present. The many friends of the young people extend congratulations.

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December 16, 1937

LIDGERWOOD....Miss Alvina Havlena, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Havlena, of this city, and George Sponsel, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Sponsel, of Goodland, KS., were married Tuesday in Wahpeton in a quiet ceremony by Judge A. W. Ponath.

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December 16, 1937

## GEORGE RENNIX, JR. ENGAGED

Mr. and Mrs. Lincoln C. Hicks, 4925 First Ave. So., announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Lillian Charlotte, to Mr. George W. Rennix, Jr., of Chicago, son of Mr. and Mrs. George W. Rennix, of Aberdeen, SD. Plans are being made for an Easter wedding.

George formerly attended school in Hankinson, where his parents resided and later attended the Univ. of Minn., where he was a member of the Golden Gophers.

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December 23, 1937

# EFFINGTON WEDDING

NEW EFFINGTON....Miss Luella Simonson, of New Effington, became the bride of Stanley Blackman, of Rosholt, at a ceremony performed at the White Rock parsonage Saturday.

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December 23, 1937

NEW EFFINGTON....Mr. Stanley Backman of Rosholt, and Miss Luella Simonson, of New Effington, were united in marriage at White Rock, Saturday evening, Dec. 11th. The community wishes them the best of luck and much prosperity.

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December 23, 1937

#### WEDDING BELLS

#### Beling - Reeser

Word has been received here announcing the marriage of Miss Goldie W. Beling, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred E. Imbach to Mr. Wilson LeRoy Reeser, of Van Nuys, CA. The wedding will take place Saturday evening, January 1st, at 7:30 in Van Nuys, CA.

Miss Beling, formerly a resident of Hankinson, graduated from Hankinson High School in 1935. She was a very popular and charming young lady.

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December 30, 1937

#### FOGARTY - LATTERY

Tuesday at the Catholic Church in Fairmount Miss Agnes Fogarty and Mr. James Lattery, of Bismarck, were united in marriage. The bride is well known here having graduated from H. H. S. in 1928. Mr. Lattery is a teacher and coach in Sanish, ND. The couple will make their home at Sanish.

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December 30, 1937

#### KIEL - BUCKHOUSE

Sunday evening, Rev. Otto G. Eyrich united in marriage Rose Kiel and Howard Buckhouse. Witnesses were Albert Buckhouse and Gertrude Koll, of Claire City, SD. They will make their home in Hankinson and the best wishes of their friends are extended them.

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December 30, 1937

#### FALK - EDGERTON

Harry Falk, of Hankinson, was united in marriage to Bernice Edgerton, of Rapid City, SD., on Dec. 4th, at the home of the bridegroom's sister, Clara Monette of Seattle, WA.

The attendants were the bridegroom's sister, Clara Monette and the bride's twin brother,

Bernard.

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# 1938

Word was announced this week of the marriage of Miss Lena Roth, daughter of Mrs. Peter Roth, to Louis Wirtz on Nov. 27th, at Wahpeton. They are making their home six miles northeast of Hankinson on the groom's farm.

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January 6, 1938

#### WEDDING BELLS

A pretty wedding was solemnized Thursday afternoon, Jan. 6th, at 2 o'clock at the Emmanuel Lutheran Church, when Miss Delphine Helmer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Helmer of Lidgerwood, became the bride of LeRoy Bladow, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Bladow, of Hankinson. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Cloeter.

The bride was attired in a gown of golden brown and carried a bouquet of white carnations and fern leaves. Miss Lilia Bladow, sister of the bridegroom, acted as bridesmaid. Elsworth Helmer, brother of the bride, acted as best man, Grace Franz, niece of the bridegroom, was flower girl. After the ceremony a 5 o'clock wedding dinner was served at the home of the bride's parents in a prettily decorated room. Waitresses were Elvia and Elaine Lentz, cousins of the bride. The bride is a well known and popular young lady, of Lidgerwood, and the groom is a well known Hankinson young man. We wish them a happy married life.

\* \* \* \* \* \* \* \* \* \* \* \* January 6, 1938

Miss Syvilla Berndt, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gust Berndt and Howard La Bonnete were united in marriage at 4 o'clock Tuesday afternoon at the Evangelical Church, Rev. L. Hoy performing the ceremony.

The bridal party entered the church to the strains of Mendelsohn's wedding march which was played by Mrs. E. C. Kiel. Attending the bridal couple were Miss Gustie and Lorrell Berndt, sisters of the bride and Elmer Smith, cousin of the bride, and two little flower girls, Donna and Marlene LaBonnte. For her wedding gown the bride wore a floor length white lace gown over satin with veil and accessores to match. Her flowers were arranged in a bridal bouquet of red roses. The bride's attendants wore gowns of bright blue brocaded silk and the flower girls wore gowns of peach and blue taffeta. Mrs. George Worner, Jr., sang, "I Love You Truly."

## MEDENWALDT - STACK

On Friday, January 7th, at Sisseton, SD., Miss Evelyn Medenwaldt, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Medenwaldt, and Harry Stack, son of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Stack were united in marriage. Witnesses for the couple were Miss Nina Tiegs and George Scheller. The newlyweds will make their home at the Carl Stack farm.

\* \* \* \* \* \* \* \* \* \* January 13, 1938

#### ARNDT - FRANZ

The wedding of Miss Alma Arndt of Madelia, MN., to Mr. Edgar Franz, son of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Franz, rural Hankinson, was solemnized Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at the Lutheran Parsonage. Rev. J. P. Klausler officiated. Attending the bride was Miss Nellie Gustman. Mr. Reinhard Franz, brother of the bridegroom, acted as bestman. Grace Franz and Mary Hill, nieces of the bridegroom were flower girls.

The bride was gowned in a floor length rust silk crepe dress, a white tulle veil and she carried a bridal bouquet of roses and ferns. Her bridesmaid was attired in navy blue silk crepe and wore a shoulder corsage of lilies and ferns. The flower girls wore pink silk dresses and carried baskets of tea roses and ferns.

Following the ceremony the bridal party went to the home of the groom's parents where a 5 o'clock dinner was served the immediate relatives of the couple.

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January 13, 1938

#### WEDDING BELLS

#### Deglow - Tiegs

The scene at St. Stephen's Lutheran Church, Beaver Dam, WI., Friday afternoon, Dec. 24th, at 2 o'clock was the marriage of Miss Bernice Deglow, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Deglow, Beaver Dam, WI., and Elmer Tiegs, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Tiegs, of Hankinson, ND.

After the ceremony a turkey dinner was served at the home of the bride's parents. The couple will reside at their home, 221 Haskell St., Beaver Dam. WI. The groom is employed at the Von Brunt Shop, at Horicon, WI.

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January 20, 1938

#### FOERTSCH - ALTHOFF

Miss Alvina Foertsch, a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Foertsch of Mantador, and Edmond Althoff, of Mooreton, were united in marriage at Sts. Peter and Paul's Catholic Church in Mantador Wednesday, Jan. 19th. Rev. Snyder officiated. The couple will make their home with the groom's parents in Mooreton.

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January 20, 1938

#### KLEIN - TIEGS

After having been kept secret since June 30th, 1937, the marriage of Miss Betty Klein, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Klein and Alfred Tiegs, son of Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Tiegs, was announced. They were married at noon, June 30th at Casselton, ND., by Judge Hawley. A New York couple witnessed the ceremony.

The bride is a graduate of Hankinson High School, the '36 class and was recently graduated from a Fargo Beauty Academy in Fargo, ND. She has been employed at the L. & S. Store in Wahpeton. The groom is employed at the local Red Owl Store. The couple will make their home in Hankinson and their many friends extend the young couple heartiest congratulations.

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February 3, 1938

#### LABODA - KOMM

Friends received word here from Washington that Edward Laboda was recently married

to Mrs. Amelia Komm at a quiet ceremony in the parsonage of the Knob Hill Evangelical Church. Rev. Ralph Wyrich performed the ceremony.

The bride was gowned in Burgundy velvet with a corsage of American Beauty Roses. Mr. and Mrs. Dexter Cahoon were their attendants. Mr. and Mrs. Laboda left for a wedding trip to California. Mr. Laboda left Great Bend early in the fall to visit relatives in Washington and will bring home his bride this spring.

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February 3, 1938

#### EHR - THOMPSON

WATERLOO (IA) Courier....At a ceremony performed in the rectory of St. John's Catholic Church Friday, Miss Josephine Ehr, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Ehr, became the bride of Ernest Thompson, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. K. Thompson, of Hankinson, ND. Rev. Lentz officiated. Miss Dorothy Ehr, sister of the bride, and Austin Lucas, attended the couple.

The bride wore a blue chiffon velvet frock with gold accessories and a corsage of yellow roses and white sweetpeas. Her sister wore dubonnet taffeta with gold and brown acdessories.

A wedding dinner was served. Among the guests were Miss Rita Tix, Fergus Falls, Miss Marie Tix, George Tix, Otto Medenwaldt, Hankinson, and others.

The bride is a graduate of St. Francis Academy of Hankinson, and has been doing secretarial work the past three years. Mr. Thompson attended State Teachers College at Valley City and at Cedar Falls, and Luther College at Decorah. The couple will live in Waterloo.

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February 3, 1938

#### ROTH - ROBINSON

At a quiet wedding at 6 o'clock Wednesday morning, Miss Georgianna Robinson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Robinson and Wendell Roth, son of Mrs. Peter Roth were united in marriage by Fr. Schuh. Mr. and Mrs. George Robinson were witnesses.

## DOTZENROD - SINGLEMAN

#### MEDENWALDT - BUCKHOUSE

Tuesday afternoon at the Emmanuel Evangelical Church, Miss Sadie Medenwaldt, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Medenwaldt and Alvin Buckhouse, son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Buckhouse, were united in marriage, Rev. Otto G. A. Eyrich officiating.

Miss Frances Eyrich, organist, played the bridal chorus from Lohengrin as the pre-

cessional. The wedding music from Mendelssohn was the recessional music. The church choir sang, "Help by My Savior's Mighty Hand." Miss LaVerna Medenwaldt was her sister's bridesmaid. Mr. Elmer Buckhouse, brother of the groom, was best man.

Miss Medenwaldt wore a dusty pink satin frock, the skirt ankle length. The waist was featured by a white net collar and puffed sleeves. She carried an arm bouquet of pink carnations.

For her gown, the bride chose white satin fashioned in princess mode, the bodice featuring a low neckline and draped puffed sleeves. A tiara styled cap, ornamented with seed pearls held the bridal veil of court length. She carried a sheaf of calla lillies, tied with white satin ribbons and wore a single strand of pearls.

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February 24, 1938

#### SHOWER GIVEN

A miscellaneous shower was given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Bohn Sunday evening in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Sedler, who were recently married at Moorhead. Mrs. Sedler (nee Erma Renshaw) has been an employee of the Montgomery Ward Store at Wahpeton for eight years. Her home is at Ada, MN. They will make their home on Mr. Sedler's farm, one and a half miles out of Great Bend.

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February 24, 1938

#### PRIBBERNOW - SELMER

Announcement of the marriage of Harold Pribbernow, son of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Pribbernow, to Miss Pauline Selmer, at Skagway, Alaska, was received here by relatives. The marriage occurred on Feb. 14th, at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Selmer.

The bride was attired in a gold colored silk net dress, trimmed with purple velvet flowers. A reception followed the ceremony. They are spending there honeymoon in Alaska.

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February 24, 1938

#### JERESZEK - KUKOWSKI

John Jereszek, son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Jereszek, of Hankinson, and Miss Leona Kukowski, of Georgetown, MN., were married Tuesday at St. John's Catholic Church in Georgetown. Mr. and Mrs. Jereszek will make their home on a farm near Georgetown after March 15th, following their return from a visit in Hankinson.

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February 24, 1938

#### LEE - HINSON

Friends received word this week of the marriage of Miss Madelyn Irene Lee, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Knudt E. Lee, to Mr. L. Kirk Hinson, on Friday, Feb. 11th, at St. Louis, MO. Mrs. Hinson taught for four years in the local school. She was also coach for the H. S. qirls' basketball team and had completed a dietician course in a St. Louis college.

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March 3, 1938

# ROTH - CONNOLLY

In a ceremony performed at St. Anthony's church in Fargo at 8:30 last Tuesday morning, Peter J. Roth and Miss Margaret Connolly, of Wahpeton, were united in marriage. Jack Robinson attended the groom and Miss Gertrude Connolly attended her sister. They will leave for

Missouri this week where they will make their home.

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March 10, 1938

#### MEYER - BOLL

Tony Meyer and Mrs. Elizabeth Boll were quietly married at 9 o'clock Wednesday morning in Wahpeton at St. John's Catholic Church. Rev. F. A. Meyer officiated. They were attended by Mr. and Mrs. Peter Faust, sister and brother-in-law of the groom. Friends extend best wishes to Mr. and Mrs. Meyer.

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March 10, 1938

#### WEDDING

LIDGERWOOD....Announcement was made this week of the marriage Sunday of Dr. W. A. Kern of Lidgerwood, to Ruth Seekins, of Valley City. The wedding was solemnized at 3 PM., in the Erie, ND., Presbytery by Rev. Robert L. Colvin. A single ring ceremony was used.

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March 10, 1938

#### ATTEND SHOWER

Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Ziegelman and family and Mrs. Alfred Medenwaldt and Irmina Ziegelman motored to Garfield, MN., Sunday to attend a shower for Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Ziegelman, who were recently married. They returned home Tuesday evening.

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March 24, 1938

GREAT BEND....Mr. Walter Bohn and Miss Hildegard Heide were quietly married at Fergus Falls, Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Bohn will make their home on a farm northwest of Great Bend.

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March 31, 1938

# BARNEY WEDDING

# FORMER HANKINSON MAN MARRIED IN MINNEAPOLIS

Mr. Howard Moore, son of Bert Moore formerly of Hankinson, and Dorothy Draper, of Col. Heights, were married April 2nd, at the Hope Lutheran Church in Minneapolis. The Rev. Thorpe officiating. Miss Lorraine Greaves and Mr. J. T. Yearger were the attendants.

A reception was held at the hme of the bride after the ceremony, about 50 guests attending. Among those present were Mr. and Mrs. C. Draper and family, John Draper, Mr. Bert Moore, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Moore and Miss Hazel Moore.

Mr. and Mrs. Moore will make their home in Col. Heights. For the present, Mr. Moore is employed at the Minneapolis Casket Co., in SE Minneapolis.

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April 14, 1938

LIDGERWOOD....Miss Adrienne Christensen, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Walter Christensen, formerly of Lidgerwood, was married to Thornwell Rogers, son of the late Earl Rogers, and Mrs. Belle Green Rogers, in Los Angeles, March 30th.

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April 14, 1938

FAIRMOUNT....Donald Terrill and Mabel Jepson "stole" a march on their Fairmount friends and were secretly married on January 11th at Nunda, SD. The ceremony was performed at the Swedish Lutheran Parsonage, with Rev. Irwin A. Suvy, officiating.

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April 14, 1938

Miss Alva Krause, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Krause, became the bride of Benjamin Zeitlow, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Zietlow, Easter Sunday evening at the Lutheran Church with Rev. Rengstorf officiating.

Miss Adela Krause was the bride's only attendant and Erwin Zietlow attended Mr. Zietlow. The bridesmaid was attired in a cerise taffeta gown and carried roses. The bride was beautifully gowned in a combined white satin and lace gown. She wore a three-quarter length veil and carried a bouquet of yellow roses.

After the ceremony a reception was given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Krause for the wedding party and relatives.

The couple will make their home near Great Bend, and a host of friends wish them happiness.

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#### TIEGS - SCHELLER

Miss Nina Tiegs, daughter of Mr. Frank Tiegs and George Scheller, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Scheller, were united in marriage Friday, April 22nd, in a ceremony performed by Rev. Jos. F. Studnicka.

Both the bride and groom are life long residents of the Hankinson community where they have a great number of friends who extend congratulations and best wishes for their future happiness. Mr. and Mrs. Scheller will make their home in Hankinson.

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April 28, 1938

#### MOTIS - JAEGER

At a service read in St. Philip's Church Parish House, Saturday morning at 6 AM., Miss Helen Motis, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Motis, became the bride of Mr. Jacob Jaeger, son of Mr. and Mrs. Martin Jaeger, Rev. J. Studnicka officiating.

The bride wore a dress of powder blue flat crepe, featuring a bolero jacket. She wore navy blue accessories and a corsage of blue and pink sweet peas and eggshell roses.

ROSHOLT....Mickey Moeller, who is out in California, was married to an Oakland lady on Easter Sunday, April 17th. We have no details of the happy event at this time.

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April 28, 1938

St. Philip's Church was the scene of a pretty wedding Monday morning when Miss Adeline Spreckels, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Spreckels, became the bride of Mr. John Hipp, son

of Mrs. Adam Hipp, of this city. Attendants were Mr. and Mrs. Rupert Goerger of Wyndmere. The bride was attired in a dress of aqua blue silk with tan accessories and carried tailsman roses and the bridesmaid carried American Beauty roses.

#### EFFINGTON WEDDING

#### WEDDING BELLS

A wedding was solemnized at St. Philips Church today at 7 o'clock when Rosina Theede daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Anton Theede, became the bride of Douglas Fergerson, of Douglas, ND.. Fr. Studnicka conducted the service.

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May 12, 1938

GREAT BEND...A miscellaneous shower was given at the Emil Bohn home Sunday evening in honor of their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Milton Noyes who were recently married. They received many useful gifts.

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May 12, 1938

#### FAIRMOUNT WEDDING

FAIRMOUNT....Miss Helen Alm, daughter of Mrs. Clara Alm, of Fargo, and Robert Schmitt, son of Mr. and Mrs. Matt Schmitt, of Fairmount, were united in marriage Thursday morning at St. Mary's Cathedral in Fargo. Rev. Father John McHugh performed the ceremony.

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May 19, 1938

GREAT BEND....Linda Bohn, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Emil Bohn and Milton Noyes, of Wahpeton, surprised their friends by going to Sisseton, where they were married several weeks ago. Mr. and Mrs. Noyes were pleasantly surprised Sunday evening when they were tendered a miscellaneous shower. They received many nice gifts.

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May 19, 1938

LAMARS.....A bridal shower for Mr. and Mrs. Elwood Grimes was held in the LaMars Hall Friday night. An enjoyable and entertaining program was presented. A large group of friends and relatives attended and brought many beautiful and useful gifts. An ice cream supper was served and was enjoyed by everyone.

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May 26, 1938

#### MENTZ - STOLTENOW

GREAT BEND....Miss Bernice Mentz, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Mentz, of Paynesville, MN., and Waldemar Stoltenow, son of Mrs. Chas. Stoltenow, of Great Bend, were united in marriage Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock in the Evangelical Church at Paynesville. The bride wore a gown of white satin with a long veil and carried a bouquet of lilacs and red

roses. A sister of the bride, Phyllis Mentz, was maid of honor. She wore a gown of pale blue lace and carried a bouquet of carnations. The bridesmaids were Elaine Mentz and Joyce Glentz. The groom's attendants were Manville Stoltenow, a nephew of the groom, and Hilary Glentz. Following the ceremony a wedding dinner was served at the home of the bride's parents to about fifty guests. Mr. and Mrs. Stoltenow will make their home on his mother's farm northeast of Great Bend.

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May 26, 1938

Following a short motor wedding trip, Mr. Benjamin Locher and his bride, the former Miss Helen Alice Bergman, whose marriage occurred on Saturday, the 21st of May, in St. Brendan's Catholic Church in Green Isle, MN., will be home at Fairfax, MN. The bride is a sister of Miss Alice Bergman, Summit Ave., St. Paul, MN., and Mr. Locher, the nephew of Mr. and Mrs. George Locker, of Green Isle, MN. The Rev. A. J. Doyle read the service at 9 o' clock before the altar banked with ferns and white lilacs. The bride wore a gown of deep rose marquisette with accessories to match and shoulder corsage of gardenias. She carried a prayer book. Miss Margaret Davitt, the maid of honor wore a gown of marquisette navy blue with dusty pink accessories and wore a shoulder bouquet of pink roses and sweet peas.

Joseph Locher, of Green Isle, MN., was his cousin's best man. Mrs. Locher has for the past three years taught school at Green Isle. The groom is engaged in the creamery business at Fairfax, MN. A wedding breakfast and reception was held at the apartment of the bride's cousin, Mr. Bill Bergman, Steven's Avenue, Minneapolis, MN., following the ceremony.

Mrs. Locher is a former resident of Hankinson and her many friends here join The NEWS in extending congratulations.

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May 26, 1938

# BRUMMOND - BREWER

Miss Erma Brummond, of Hankinson was married to Lynn Brewer, of Wahpeton, Saturday. The bride has been employed in a Wahpeton store for several months. The newlyweds will reside in Wahpeton.

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SONORA....A miscellaneous shower was given in the granary of Ed Mahler, for Ethel Brackin and Arnold Loll, Sunday evening. The bride-to-be received many beautiful and useful gifts. A midnight refreshment was served. They were married June 1st.

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June 2, 1938

SONORA....Bans for the marriage, between Margaret Schmidt and Herman Weber, of Fargo, were announced for the first time Sunday, by Rev. Fr. Bierens.

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June 2, 1938

Supt. and Mrs. C. H. Siefken received an announcement this week of the marriage of Mr. Ralph Thorpe Tolo, of Minot, formerly of this city, to Miss Caria Nerisen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John O. Nerisen, of Minot. The wedding will take place on June 15th at 7:30 o' clock in the evening at the Univ. Lutheran Church, of Hope in Minneapolis. They will be at

home after July 1st at Minot, where Mr. Tolo is employed by the Standard Oil Co.

Mr. Tolo is well known here having taught in the local High School a few years ago.

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June 2, 1938

# KINN - KITZMAN

Miss Mercedes Kitzman, of Rosholt and Mr. Elroy Kinn, of Hankinson, were married today at the St. John's Catholic Church in Rosholt.

Except the fact that the newlyweds will go to the west coast on a honeymoon, we will have no details until next week's paper.

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June 9, 1938

#### GAIL KLEIN MARRIED

Miss Gail Klein, daughter of Mr.and Mrs. J. J. Klein, of this city, and Edwin E. Collins, son of Mrs. H. A. Collins, of West Union, IA., were married at Sisseton Thursday afternoon, June 2nd, at the Lutheran parsonage.

The bride wore a white silk sport suit with white accessories. She was attended by her sister, Mrs. Betty Tiegs, who wore a grey sport suit with blue accessories. The groom was attended by Mr. Meredith Williams of Fairmount. The only guests were Mr. and Mrs. Klein parents of the bride. Mrs. Collins is a graduate of the Hankinson High School and the North Dakota School of Science. The groom is a graduate of St John's College, Collegeville, MN. After the ceremony the newlyweds left for a few days visit in northern Minnesota. They will make their future home in Breckenridge, MN.

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June 9, 1938

# JUNE WEDDINGS ARE NUMEROUS

#### Lingen - Goerger

Miss Mary Lingen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Lingen, of Mantador, and Herbert Goerger, son of Mr. and Mrs. Barney Goerger, of Mantador, were united in marriage Tuesday morning at 9 o'clock at St. Peter and Paul's Church at Mantador, Rev. Father Schneider performing the ceremony.

Katherine Lingen acted as bridesmaid and Nick Goerger was best man.

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June 16, 1938

# PAUSCH - LEINEN

Miss Rita Pausch, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Pausch, of Mantador, and Ray Leinen, of Wahpeton, were married Wednesday morning at St. Peter and Paul's Church at Mantador, Rev. Father Schneider performing the ceremony. Mrs. Betty Pausch was bridesmaid and Walter Leinen acted as best man.

The couple will make their home in Wahpeton where the groom is employed in a garage.

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June 16, 1938

# SCHMIDT - WEBBER

A wedding of interest to many in this city is that of Miss Margaret Schmidt, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Mike Schmidt of Fairmount and Herman Webber, of Fargo. The ceremony took place Wednesday morning at 9 o'clock at St. Anthony's Catholic Church. The happy couple will make their home in Fargo, where the groom operates a barber shop.

Mr. Webber was employed at the Linehan Barber Shop last summer.

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June 16, 1938

#### PAYNE - SCHLENER WEDDING

Miss Fern Payne, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Payne and Leonard Schlener, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Schlener, were married today in Milbank, SD. Miss Fay Payne acted as bridesmaid and Art Weber was best man. Audrey Schlener and Willard Bohn were also in attendance at the wedding. The bride was charming in a dress of blue silk with white accessories. The bridesmaid wore a dress of light blue taffeta.

The happy couple will make their home at Evansville, where the groom is employed with the Collins Construction Company.

The bride is a graduate of the local high school, a member of the class of 1934. She is a graduate also of a beauty culture school.

Both contracting parties are well and favorably known here and have the best wishes of all for a happy future.

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#### SCHRAMM - MONTAGUE

Tom E. Schramm, son of Mr. Tom Schramm of this city, and Miss Melba Montague, of Yakima, WA., were married June 11th at Yakima. Tom, who was in Hankinson on a visit last week is in the U. S. Navy.

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#### KITZMAN - KINN

Her parents twenty-fifth wedding anniversary on June 9th was chosen by Miss Mercedes Kitzman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Casper Kitzman, of Rosholt, SD., for her marriage to Elroy Kinn, son of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Kinn, of Hankinson, ND.

The ceremony at 9:30 o'clock was solemnized at St. John's Catholic Church, at Rosholt, SD. Rev. H. Engelhardt performed the ceremony and read the nuptial high mass.

The bridesmaids, Miss Beatrice Kitzman, sister of the bride and Miss Helen Kinn, sister of the groom, wore gowns fashioned alike of mousseline de soie, made with bouffant skirt and square neckline with bands of grosgrain accenting the bodice. Miss Kitzman was gowned in pink and Miss Kinn in yellow. They wore shoulder length veils of net, in corresponding colors to their dresses and carried matching net muffs on which were corsages of pink and lavender sweet peas.

Miss Kitzman entered with her father, who gave her in marriage. They were awaited at the altar by Mr Kinn and his attendants, Messrs. George Brackin and Leo Kinn, cousins of the groom. For her wedding gown, Miss Kitzman had chosen a white net designed on princess lines, with square neckline, slightly puffed sleeves and a bouffont skirt accented with nosegays of flowers. Her veil was of white net, finger tip length, with a halo of pearls. Her only jewelry was the bridegroom's gift, a yellow and white gold locket. She carried a shower bouquet of talisman roses and lilies of the valley. Ushers were Frank Kinn and Abe Mosey.

Following the services a reception for 65 guests was given at the bride's home. The dining room was decorated in silver and white with bouquets of summer flowers.

Mr. and Mrs. Kinn left on a wedding trip to the west coast, also touring Yellowstone

National Park and the Black Hills before their return. For travel the bride wore a brown suit with a fog fur and copper accessories. After August 1st, Mr. and Mrs. Kinn will be at home in Hankinson, ND.

#### ROEDER - PFEIFFER

GREAT BEND....A very pretty wedding took place on Saturday afternoon at 5:30 when Miss Lila Bohn, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Bohn, of Great Bend, became the bride of Gordon Engel, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Engel, of Minneapolis, at the Trinity Lutheran Church, Rev. J. Rengstorf officiating.

The bride entered the church on the arm of her father to the strains of the wedding march played by Mrs. Herbert Weiss.

The groom was ushered by his first attendant, Mr. Willard Bohn. The attendants of the bride were Miss Virginia Engel, sister of the groom, who acted as maid of honor, Miss Sylvia Bohn and Kathryn Sherman, cousins of the bride and Grace Snyder, friend of the bride. The two flower girls were Donna Bohn and Marlys Engel. The bride was attired in a beautiful white satin gown made with a long train, with veil and accessories to match. Yellow roses formed the bride's bouquet. Miss Virginia Engel, maid of honor, wore green organdy and the three bridesmaids were gowned in pastel shades of yellow and peach and all carried bouquets.

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HAMMER....A large number of our people went to Claire City last Saturday to attend the wedding dance of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Smith (nee Ailene Gullickson.)

HAMMER....MARRIED....Miss Jane Flaws, of Olida, MN., and Albert Kemmitz, north of Hammer. were united in marriage Wednesday at Britton, SD.

\* \* \* \* \* \* \* \* \* \* \* \* June 23, 1938

NEW EFFINGTON....A wedding of local interest took place at the Rev. Walseth parsonage Monday when Hazel Larson, of New Effington became the bride of Forest Evenson of Ortonville.

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A parcel shower was given at the Rex Cafe Thursday evening in honor of Mrs. F. Iverson who was recently married. .....NEW EFFINGTON.... June 23, 1938

GREAT GEND....A reception was held at the Trinity Lutheran Church basement Wednesday evening in honor of Rev. and Mrs. Daniel Knuppel, sponsered by the Ladies' Aid and relatives and friends. The Ladies' Aid presented them with a cash gift and they also received other

appropriate gifts. They were married June 8th at Pennsylvania and are here on their honey-moon, visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Knuppel.

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June 23, 1938

# GUSTMAN - KRAUSE

A very pretty wedding was solmnized on Monday evening at 7:30 o'clock when Miss Hannah Gustman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Gustman became the bride of Leonard Krause, son of Mr. and Mrs. Otto Krause, of Cayuga, in the Evangelical parsonage, Rev. Eyrich officiated using the beautiful double ring ceremony.

Miss Nell Gustman, sister of the bride, was her only attendant. Ottmer Hoefs, friend of the groom was best man. The bride was charming in a dress of yellow silk flat crepe and her flowers were a bridal bouquet of pink and white roses and ferns. The bridesmaid wore a dress of flowered silk crepe with a shoulder corsage of sweet peas. The groom and his attendant wore blue suits.

The young couple left on a wedding trip through the Black Hills and other points of interest. For travel the bride wore a suit of blue silk with white accessories. After July 1st they will be at home at Cayuga. Mr. and Mrs. Krause are well known in this community and have many friends and relatives who extend best wishes for their future happiness.

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June 23, 1938

#### JUNE WEDDING BELLS RING OUT

#### MUEHLER- SANDER

A very pretty wedding which united two prominent south Richland County people occurred Wednesday afternoon at the Lutheran Church, when Miss Mary Emma Muehler, daughter of Mrs. Bertha Muehler became the bride of Henry William Sander, Rev. J. P. Klausler conducting the service.

The bride was attired in a gown of white satin and carried a bridal bouquet of roses. The bridesmaids, Irma Ziegelman and Elfrieda Hingst, were attired in moire taffeta. Flower girls were Arlene Muehler and Delores Milbrandt. The groom's attendants were Orville Sander and Gustav Muehler.

The young couple entertained at a dance at Grawe's Hall tonight. Friends extend felicitations and best wishes for their happiness.

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June 30, 1938

#### KORTGARD - BORSTAD

Invitations have been received in Hankinson telling of the coming wedding of Miss Clara Kortgard to Arthur Borstad, the wedding to take place on July 5th at Mahnomen, MN. Miss Kortgard taught in the Hankinson school the past year.

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June 30, 1938

#### STEIN - SPETHMANN

The Emmanuel Evangelical Church was the scene of a very pretty wedding Monday, whe Miss Mildred Stein, daughter of Mr. Ed. Stein, of this city, became the bride of France Spethmann, son of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Spethmann, of New Effington.

The ceremony at 3:30 o'clock Monday afternoon was performed by Rev. Eyrich.

The bride was charmingly dressed in a beautiful gown of white satin with a yeil of white net. She carried a beutiful bouquet of talisman roses. Miss Leona Stein, sister of the bride, who acted as matron of honor, was gowned in a dress of blue embroidered organdy. She carried a bouquet of sweet peas. Miss Doris Spethman, sister of the groom, was bridesmaid, and wore a dress of peach embroidered organdy. She carried a bouquet of sweet peas.

Frank Chesley of Havana, a cousin of the bride, was best man and Palmer Stavey, of New Effington, acted as the groom's attendant.

The matron of honor, the bridesmaid and bestman and the bride entered the church to the strains of Lohengrin's wedding march played by Miss Frances Eyrich. The groom and his attendant awaited them at the altar.

Miss Marlys Mongoven sang "O Promise Me" and a hymn, "Have Thine Own Way, Lord." The altars were decorated with natural flowers and ferns.

Immediately following the ceremony a reception was held in the church basement, with eighty-five guests in attendance. Mrs. C. W. Bladow and Mrs. Fred Chesley, aunts of the bride, acted as hostesses. The decorations were flowers. The table at which the bridal couple, the attendants and immediate relatives were seated had as a centerpiece a large wedding cake, topped by a miniature bride and groom.

A dance, in honor of the couple, was given in the evening at New Effington. The groom is a promising business man, of New Effington, where the happy couple will make their home.

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June 30, 1938

#### WISE and OTHERWISE

Quite small things may keep you from sleeping at night, says a doctor. Never mind.... they'll grow up presently.

Little Buddy wants to know how far it is 'tween to and fro.

Girls who play with fire don't always strike a match.

When you're in a jam, it's soon spread all over the place.

Paradox: It's only when a man comes clean that he spills the dirt.

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# JUDGE HUTCHINSON'S DAUGHTER MARRIED

PORTLAND JOURNAL....Miss Ann Hutchinson, daughter of Judge and Mrs. W. H. Hutchinson, of Wahpeton, ND., and Orville Riley Wilson, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Wilson, of Medford, OR., were married in an attractively arranged ceremony at the home in Portland of the bride's uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. F. V. Hutchinson, on Saturday, June 11th.

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June 30, 1938

# LUECK - MELCHER

Miss Dorothy Lueck, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Lueck, of Lidgerwood and Mr. Clarence Melcher, son of Mr. and Mrs. Art Melcher, of this city, were married Friday at 6 o'clock at the Lutheran parsonage in Wahpeton. Rev. Becker performed the ceremony.

The bride was charmingly attired in a dress of turquoise blue silk.

#### BERNER - HOEFS

Ray Berner was married Wednesday to Laverne Hoefs, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Rienhard Hoefs, Thursday evening at 7:30 in the Immanuel Lutheran Church, with Rev. Cloeter officiating.

The bride wore a long white satin gown and a trailing coronet veil, and carried a bouquet of lilies and roses. Mrs. Walter Kackman and Dorothy Hoefs, sisters of the bride, and Bernice Hoefs, a cousin, were bridesmaids. They wore petal rose net dresses and carried pink spires.

The groom was attended by Walter Kackman, his cousin, and Lester and Carroll Berner, his brothers. Agnes Kath, cousin of the bride, played the wedding march and the choir sang, "Thou Art the Way."

At five o'clock dinner was served at the bride's home and in the evening a dance was given in Lidgerwood in their honor.

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July 7, 1938

#### GRANTED DIVORCE

Mrs. Anna Jackson was granted a divorce from Dick Jackson at a hearing in District Couty last week. Mrs. Jackson sought the divorce on grounds of non-support. Alimony of \$15 per month was awarded her. .....LIDGERWOOD MONITOR....

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July 7, 1938

At a quiet ceremony in the Catholic Parish house in Wahpeton, June 18th, Miss Trimmer, of Lidgerwood, became the bride of Alfred Goolsbey, of Lidgerwood.

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July 7, 1938

#### MELCHER - SAPA

Miss Mary Ann Sapa, of Cayuga and Pat Melcher, son of Mr. and Mrs. Art Melcher, of this city, were united in marriage on Thursday.

Friends of the young couple extend congratulations and best wishes for a happy wedded life.

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#### VALLEY CITY WEDDING

Miss Dorothy Martin, daughter of Mrs. Evelyn Martin, of McLeod, was married Friday at high noon to Harvey Gebhard, of West Fargo, son of Mr. and Mrs. Alex Gebhard of Hankinson, formerly of Emden. The occasion also marked the 30th wedding anniversary of the bridegroom's parents. The ceremony took place in the Valley City Lutheran Church, which was beautifully decorated with peonies and other seasonable flowers. Dr. J. F. Bohnhoff, pastor of the Valley City Lutheran Church, an uncle of the bride, officiated, and also at the wedding of the bride's parents 24 years ago in the same church.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Gebhard and son, Ezra, of this city attended the wedding.

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July 7, 1938

LAMARS....Word was received here by friends of the recent marriage of Spencer Hokanson, of Rosholt. The marriage took place at Sisseton several days ago. We understand the bride is a Rosholt girl, but no particulars have been received as yet.

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July 14, 1938

Belated report reaches The NEWS of the marriage on June 12th of Howard Waggoner to a Worthington, MN., young lady. Howard plays with Tiny Little's Orchestra.

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July 21, 1938

#### MILLER - LEINEN

Michael Lienen and Miss Viola Miller were married at St. John's Catholic Church in Wahpeton by Rev. Father Meyer Tuesday.

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July 28, 1938

#### OLIVE FLASHE, BEN ELZNIC MARRIED HERE LAST WEEK

LIDGERWOOD....Miss Olive Flashe, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Flashe, of Milnor, was married to Ben Elznic, of Lidgerwood, at a ceremony in the parish house of St. Boniface Church last Thursday at 8 AM., Rev. Arrell officiated.

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August 11, 1938

#### RYDBERG - SAMUELSON

NEW EFFINGTON....On Thursday, June 30th, Margaret Rydberg and Arnold Samuelson were united in marriage at Sisseton, SD., with Rev. Evans officiating.

The bride is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gust Rydberg, of New Effington. The groom is a son of Mr. Charles Samuelson, of Cannon Falls, MN.

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August 11, 1938

#### SCHROEDER - ADAMS

Word has been received of the marriage of Mr. Louie Schroeder, formerly of this city and Miss Sylvia Adams, of Minneapolis. The marriage took place August 6th in South Dakota.

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August 18, 1938

# DOT MAAS MARRIED

A marriage of local interest is that of Dot Maas, of Minneapolis, who was a former resident of this city. She was married Saturday to Clarence Nelson, of Minneapolis. Mrs. Frank Steckel of this city attended the wedding.

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August 25, 1938

#### CARLSON - HAMMERSCHMIDT

# Becomes Bride of Richard Carlson

At a service read Sunday morning at St. Philip's Catholic Church, Miss Madonna Hammer-schmidt, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Matt Hammerschmidt, became the bride of Mr. Richard Carlson, of Wadena, MN., son of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Carlson. The Rev. Myron Schuh officiated.

The bride chose for her wedding gown a navy blue chiffon gown with matching accessories. The bride completed her costume with a corsage of Columbus roses.

Miss Regina Richied, who was matron of honor and only attendant wore royal blue silk crepe with black accessories. She wore a corsage of Johanna Hill roses. Mr. Alphonse Zwack, of Wadena, was best man. A wedding breakfast, following the ceremony, was served at the brides home.

Out of town guests who attended the wedding were: Mr. and Mrs. Albert Carlson and Pauline, of Wadena; Mr. and Mrs. V. J. Stocking and Vernice, of Britton, SD.; Mrs. Thesa Quarve, Lavilla and Luverne, also of Britton; Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Zentgraph, of Fairmount, ND., Mrs. Bernard Minnehan and daughters Grace, Jeanne Anne and Florence of Breckenridge, and Miss Kathryn Minnehan, of Sisseton, SD.

#### GOLLNICK - STAVEY

At a private service read at the Evangelical Church parsonage Saturday afternoon, Miss Ethel Gollnick, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Max Gollnick, became the bride of Mr. Palmer Stave, of Hammer, SD. Rev. O. Eyrich officiated. Only members of the immediate families and close friends attended the reception which followed at the Gollnick home.

The bride wore a street length dress of navy blue silk and wore a corsage of Forget-me-nots. Her accessories were also navy blue.

Miss Florence Gollnick, the only bridal attendant and sister of the bride, also wore navy blue silk with navy blue accessories. Hardy Hammer, of Hammer, SD., was the groom's attendant.

Mr. and Mrs. Stave are living in New Effington where the groom is employed.

\* \* \* \* \* \* \* \* \* \* \* \* September 8, 1938

#### BERNARD - MOORE

St. Philip's Catholic Church was the scene of the marriage of Miss Sabina Bernard, daughter of Mrs. George Bernard, to Mr. Sylvester Moore of Freeport, MN. Rev. Jos. Studnicka officiated before an altar decorated with ferns and roses.

The bride was beautifully gowned in a white silk lace gown fashioned on princess lines. She completed her costume with a long tulle and lace veil that fell from a crown of seed pearls and carried a white prayer book with streamers of white satin on which were fastened tiny red flowers.

Little Talaria Bernard preceded the bride as flower girl. Miss Mathilda Moore, of Freeport, was the bride's only attendant. She wore an aqua taffeta dress featuring a bolero jacket and carried a bouquet of pink gladiola. Eddie Bernard attended the groom.

#### BRACKIN - NELSON

Lester Brackin, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Brackin, of Fairmount, was united in marriage

#### HEBEISEN - JUNGCLAUS

To the regular services last Sunday afternoon at St. Paul's Evangelical Church near Hammer, there was a happy aftermath. This was a very pretty wedding, which took place at 4 o'clock.

Early Sunday morning four young people, Chester Hebeisen, Myrtle Jungclaus, Gerald Zimmerman and Elvera Perschau started out from their homes at Glencoe and Brownton, MN., and drove to Hankinson, to the home of Rev. Eyrich, who had confirmed the two ladies at Glencoe in the clases of 1929 and 1930 respectively. Their coming at this time was in order that the wish of Miss Jungclaus, that the pastor who had confirmed her should also perform her wedding ceremony, might be fulfilled.

Accordingly, at 4 o'clock, the bell of St. Paul's Church pealed merrily and to the strains of Mendelssohn's wedding march, played by Miss Laura Eyrich, the bride and groom, Mr. Hebeisen and Miss Jungclaus, attended by Mr. Zimmerman and Miss Perschau, entered the church and came forward to the altar. Here they were met by Rev. Eyrich, who performed the ceremony, using the beautiful ritual for the ring ceremony of the Evangelical Order of Service. During the actual ceremony Miss Eyrich softly played "I Love You Truly," adding much to the beauty and solemnity of the occasion.

After receiving the good wishes of the assembled people and being duly riced, the bridal party left for Hankinson, where a dinner at the parsonage awaited them. After pleasant hour of fellowship, Mr. Zimmerman and Miss Perschau started on their return journey to Glencoe, while Mr. and Mrs. Hebeisen began their wedding trip by way of Fargo to Winnipeg and other points in Canada, to be at home to their friends in their newly established home in Glencoe about September 12th.

The newly married couple are young people of fine character, popular and esteemed in their home community. The good wishes of a host of relatives and friends accompany them as they set out on life's pathway together.

\* \* \* \* \* \* \* \* \* \* \* \* September 8, 1938

GREAT BEND....Mrs. Wallace Wiebusch, Miss Dorothy Wiebusch and Miss Irene Hauschild were hostesses Sunday afternoon for a bridal shower at the parish hall, in Summit for Pearl Nieman, of Fargo. She received many beautiful gifts. Miss Nieman became the bride of George Edwards, of Fargo, September 4th.

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Miss Lois Madeline Steckel, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Steckel and Mr. Allan C. Dibbert, son of Mr. Fred Dibbert, were united in marriage Sunday evening at Sisseton, SD., at 6:45 PM by Justice of the Peace Tallakson.

The bride was charmingly attired in a navy blue tailored suit with rust accessories. Mr. and Mrs. Dibbert are both graduates of Hankinson High School, Mrs. Dibbert graduating in the '38 class and Mr. Dibbert in the '35 class.

The happy young couple are making their home in Hankinson and friends extend congrat-

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September 15, 1938

#### NOYES - TIEGS

Cleo J. Noyes, of Los Angeles, CA., became the bride of Mr. Harriott H. Tiegs in Los Angeles, Aug. 6th. The bride is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Noyes, the groom being the son of Mr. and Mrs. Theo. O. Tiges, of Hankinson.

A gown of white lace was worn by the bride, who carried a bridal bouquet of orchids. Helen Noyes, sister of the bride was maid of honor. Frank Tiegs, of Hankinson, was best man. A reception was held after the ceremony at the home of the bride's parents. After returning from their honeymoon they will live at their new home in Los Angeles where the groom is employed.

JOSEPHINE JOHNSON, FLOYD TYLER WED SUNDAY IN MILITARY RITES

Simplicity, informality and natural beauty formed the setting for the wedding of Josephine Johnson, of Napa, and Corporal Floyd Tyler, U. S. Marine of Mare Island, on Sunday, September 4th, in Napa, California.

The scene of the occasion was the attractive mountian cabin of Dr. and Mrs. C. H. Bulson on Arlas Peak.

At 1 o'clock the guests were grouped on the lawn in the shade of many beautiful oak trees. Members of the bridal party took their places before a large American Flag. The California Grays of San Francisco, forty in number, and several other prominent officers of this organization, formed a military escort. The California Grays were the week-end guests of Major Elkington.

Attending the bride and groom were Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Gillies of Sebastopol. The lovely single ring service was read by Judge Albert Handel of Napa.

Mrs. Tyler was attired in a chic summer sheer costume with a beautiful corsage of pink roses, the bridegroom in the uniform of the branch of his service. Arm stripes represented twelve years in the U. S. Postal Marine Service at Mare Island and in the Orient.

Following congratulations, a delicious lunch was served in the patio in honor of the couple. Mr. and Mrs. Tyler departed for a short honeymoon trip. Upon their return the couple will make their home in Napa.

Mrs. Tyler is a sister of Mrs. O. A. Oliver of Hankinson and resided here for several years.

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#### LEA - WETHERBEE

Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock a very pretty wedding was performed at the Methodist Church in Rosholt, SD., when Miss Evelyn Wetherbee, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Wetherbee of Rosholt, became the bride of Mr. Allan Lea, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Lea.

The bride was beautifully gowned in a white satin dress featuring a lace bolero with

white satin insets. She wore a coronet with a short tulle veil. She carried a bouquet of Talisman roses. Miss Phyllis Wetherbee was her sister's bridesmaid and was attired in a pale blue chiffon gown and carried pink rosebuds. Duane Harrison, of Clinton, was best man.

The bride was given in marriage by her father, The nuptial music was played by Mrs. Wybert Bickerton and Mr. Bickerton sang "O Promise Me."

A reception was held in the church parlors for the couple. They left immediately after the ceremony for New York, where Mr. Lea is employed.

Those present at the wedding from Hankinson were Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Lea, Mr. and Mrs. Wybert Bickerton, Mr. E. Crooks, and Mr. and Mrs. Elroy Kinn.

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September 15, 1938

#### BERG - HRDLICKA

An ivory satin gown with leg-o-mutton sleeves fastened by white satin covered buttons was chosen by Miss Marion Hrdlicka, daughter of Mrs. Frances Hrdlicka, of Lidgerwood, for her marriage Thursday morning to Mr. Walter Berg, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Berg.

The ceremony took place in the Lutheran Church with Rev. J. P. Klausler officiating. The bride completed her costume with a flowing veil of silk tulle with a four inch border of lace. She wore a tiny gold cross. Little Louise Miller was flower girl and wore a pink silk dress with a bandeau of yellow roses in her hair.

Miss Alice Muehler, who was maid of honor, and Miss Ann Hruby, of Lidgerwood, who was a bridesmaid, wore identical gowns of royal blue moire taffeta. They wore Rhinestone Clips on their dresses and a single strand of pearls. They carried pink carnations. John Hruby and Robert Roeder attended the groom.

Mrs. Peter Mumm, of Lidgerwood, played the nuptial music. A reception was given at the Mrs. Frances Hrdlicka home immediately following the ceremony for immediate relatives and close friends. The home was decorated with pink, white and blue streamers.

The couple will make their home with the groom's parents west of Hankinson.

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September 15, 1938

## LICK - MILBRANDT

A pretty wedding took place at the parsonage of Emmanuel Evangelical Church at 1 PM., last Sunday when Edwin J. Milbrandt, of Tyler ND., son of Mr. Karl Milbrandt, of this city and Miss Viola Lick, also of Tyler, were united in marriage.

The beautiful ring ceremony from the ritual of the Evangelical Church was read by the Rev. Eyrich in the presence of a small group of relatives and friends. Mr. Allen Milbrandt brother of the groom, acted as best man and Miss Florence Stoltenow attended the bride.

The young people are both well known and popular in their own community and the good wishes of a host of friends and relatives are extended to them on this happy occasion.

They will make their home on a farm northwest of Tyler.

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September 22, 1938

## WEISS - HOEFS

Tuesday afternoon at the Methodist Church in Fairmount, a pretty wedding was solemnized when Alvin Hoefs and Harriet Weiss, of Erhard Falls, MN., were united in marriage.

The bride was charmingly attired in a white satin princess styled dress and wore a flowing white tulle veil with a halo effect of white seed pearls. She carried roses. Her bridesmaids were Viola Mauer and Miss Beatrice Hoefs. Mrs. Mauer and Miss Hoefs were gowned alike in ruby red and royal blue satin gowns. Attendants of the groom were Ray Weiss and Mr. B. Mauer. The couple will make their home in Fairmount.

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September 22, 1938

#### FOELTZ - DANEK

Mr. Norman Foeltz and Miss Evelyn Danek were united in marriage at the parsonage of Emmanuel Evangelical Church on Wednesday, Sept. 21st, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon.

The beautiful single ring ceremony was read by Rev. Eyrich in the presence of the witnesses who attended the couple.

Mr. Foeltz is the son of Mrs. August Foeltz, of New Effington, SD., and Miss Danek is the daughter of Joseph Danek, Sr., and his wife, who reside on a farm near New Effington.

Miss Danek was attended by Miss Evelyn Foeltz, sister of the groom and Miss Helen Martinek. The groom was attended by Joseph Danek Jr., brother of the bride and by his cousin Elroy Hentz.

The young folks will make their home on a farm a few miles north of New Effington and the good wishes of many relatives and friends go with them as they establish their new home.

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## HAMMER - MEDENWALDT

Last Saturday afternoon at 5:30 o'clock at the Evangelical parsonage a pretty wedding took place, which united Mr. Hardy A. Hammer and Miss June E. Medenwaldt in Holy Wedlock. The impressive ring ceremony of the Evangelical ritual was read by Rev. Eyrich in this service. The bride was attended by her cousin, Miss Ardell Medenwaldt and Palmer Stave, intimate friend, attended the groom.

## RADLOFF - PELZL

## WAGGONER - SCHWEITZER

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Waggoner received the news of the marriage of their son, Donald to Miss Marcella Schweitzer, of Toledo, OH., on Sept. 25th, at Angola, IN. Donald has been employed in Ohio for the past few years.

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September 29, 1938

## LECLAIR - KINN

At a single ring ceremony Tuesday morning at 9 o'clock in St. John's Catholic Church, vows were exchanged between Miss Genevieve LeClair and Mr. Leo Kinn, son of Mr. and Mrs.

Mike Kinn. Father Englehardt officiated.

The bride wore a navy blue dress, street length, with navy blue accessories, and a small corsage of yellow roses. She carried her mother's prayer book. The groom was attired in a suit of formal grey.

Attendants were Mrs. Walter Enwiller, sister of the bride, and she wore a wine colored dreww with black accessories, with a corsage of pink roses. The groom was attended by his brother, Edward, who was attired in a grey suit.

Following the ceremony, a reception was held at the C. G. Griffith home for immediate relatives. Genevieve is the daughter of Mr. George LeClair, of Rosholt and is a graduate of the Rosholt High School. Leo is a graduate of the Hankinson High School and is a salesman for the Hankinson Auto Co. They will reside on the Mike Kinn farm south of town.

Friends extend congratulations and best wishes for their future happiness.

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September 29, 1938

#### ATTEND WEDDING

BELFORD....Mr. and Mrs. Walter Krause and daughters, and Mr. and Mrs. Albert Lelm, of near Barney, left Tuesday evening for Turtle Lake, ND., where they will attend the wedding of George Lelm which took place on Wednesday.

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September 29, 1938

#### WEDDING ANNOUNCED

#### WEDDING DANCE

SONORA....Several from this community attended the wedding dance of Mr. and Mrs. Elroy Sikorski in the parish hall Monday evening.

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October 6, 1938

#### SHOWER GIVEN

GREAT BEND....A large crowd gathered at the Gust Berndt home Sunday afternoon and gave a miscellaneous shower for Gustie Berndt and Robert Mitzel. They received many beautiful gifts. The couple will be married in the near future.

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October 6, 1938

# FERNBAUGH - WOLLITZ

LIDGERWOOD....Announcement was made this week of the marriage of Mrs. Rose Fernbaugh and Charles Wollitz at a quiet ceremony performed by Rev. Julius Cloeter.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Wollitz were attendants. The ring ceremony was used.

October 6, 1938

Miss Rose Herman and Edward Pelzl, of Mantador, were united in marriage at the Catholic Parish House on Tuesday. Miss Marion Pelzl and Bill Herman were the couple's only attendants.

The bride was gowned in royal blue chiffon velvet and wore blue accessories. The bridesmaid wore wine silk failie with wine accessories. The bridgroom and bestman wore oxford grey. The couple will make their home at Mantador.

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October 6, 1938

#### BIGGS - ANDERSON

Miss Helen Frances Biggs, daughter of Mrs. Tully Williams, became the bride of Mr. Gordon Anderson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Roy P. Anderson, Friday. Vows were spoken in St. Philip's Church at 6 AM., Rev. Father Studnicka officiating.

The bride was charmingly attired in a royal blue and flame changeable taffeta dress fashioned with a flared bodice and puffed sleeves. She wore black accesories.

Mrs. Roy Anderson, the groom's mother, was the bride's only attendant. Mr. Anderson was attended by his father, Mr. Roy P. Anderson.

Mr. and Mrs. Anderson are making their home temporarily with the groom's parents. Best wishes are extended to the young couple for a long and happy wedded life.

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October 13, 1938

## MARGARET KLAUSLER IS WED TO ROBERT WILSON FRIDAY

A very pretty wedding was solemnized Friday evening at the Lutheran Church, when Miss Margaret Klausler, daughter of Rev. and Mrs. J. P. Klausler, was united in marriage to Mr. Robert Wilson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Wilson, Sr., of Doran, MN. Rev. Klausler, the bride's father performed the ceremony.

The bride was beautifully attired in a dubonnet velvet street length dress and she wore teal blue accessories. She carried a lovely bouquet of colonial roses and baby breath. Miss Hilma Bronson, of Fergus Falls, cousin of the bridegroom, was bridesmaid and wore a teal blue crepe street length dress with matching accessories. She wore a corsage of sweet peas.

The groom's attendant was Mr. Mark Klausler, the bride's brother. A reception was held for Mr. and Mrs. Wilson in the church for the immediate families and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilson are on a week's motor trip to Minneapolis and Duluth. Mrs. Wilson is a graduate of the local high school and also taught school in this vicinty for several years. She has been employed in the Richland County Welfare Office the past year. Mr. Wilson is a graduate of Wahpeton High School and of the State School of Science. He is at present employed by the Heley Lumber Co., in Lidgerwood. The happy couple will make their home in Lidgerwood. Wishes for a happy wedded life are extended to the couple.

Out of town guests at the wedding included Mr. and Mrs. Robert Wilson, Sr., and sons, Wallace, Warren, Douglas and Doan, of Doran, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Simonitsch, Miss Valerie Ambrosich, Willard Ofsthum, Maude Burvee, Leona Lev, Mildred Lindenburg, Ruby Bolstad, Collettte Melcher, all of Wahpeton, and Ruby Ettesvold, of Breckenridge.

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October 20, 1938

## PRE-NUPTIAL SHOWER

Mr. and Mrs. Gust Polfuss entertained at a miscellaneous shower at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Polfuss Wednesday evening, complimenting Miss Marjorie Green and Charles Falk

whose marriage will take place Saturday. A very pleasant evening was spent playing cards and in social chat. At a late hour a bounteous lunch was served. The guests of honor were presented with many beautiful and useful gifts.

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October 27, 1938

## SILVER WEDDING ANNIVERSARIES

Mr. and Mrs. Gus Medenwaldt .....Oct. 21, 1938

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Schubert ....Oct. 22, 1938

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October 27, 1938

Tuesday afternoon at the Lutheran parsonage Miss Irene Stein, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Stein was united in marriage to Earl Gordon, of Tyler by Rev. J. P. Klausler. The bride was attired in a white satin gown that featured a white Spanish lace bolero with satin insets. She completed her costume with a flowing white tulle veil bordered with a cap effect and carried a bouquet of roses. The bride was attended by Miss Mabel Tischer, who wore a coral moire taffeta gown with a corsage of sweet peas. Walter Gordon, brother of the broom, was best man. After a brief wedding trip the couple will be at home on the groom's farm south of Tyler. A reception was held at the bride's home following the ceremoney, 75 relatives and friends attending.

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October 27, 1938

NEW EFFINGTON....Steve and Wencil Navratil accompanied by Misses Agnes and Mayme Navratil and Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Navratil and children motored to Alexandria, MN., Sunday to attend the wedding of a relative.

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October 27, 1938

# JOHNSON - LOKKEN

VICTOR....Margaret Johnson, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bennie Johnson, of Victor, became the bride of Harold Lokken, of Hamlet, ND., on Monday, October 10th, at 5 o'clock at the parsonage in Rosholt with Rev. James Falk officiating.

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October 27, 1938

Dorothy Hoefs, daughter of Rhiny Hoefs and Chester Gebro were united in marriage at Fairmount last week.

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# KRAUSE - ZIETLOW

Tuesday evening Nov. 1st at the Lutheran parsonage at Great Bend, Miss Adelia Krause, daughter of Mrs. Herman Krause, was united in marriage to Mr. Ervin Zietlow, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Zietlow, Rev. J. H. Rengstorf officiating at the ceremony.

The bride was beautifully dressed in a white satin dress with a lace jacket and wore a flowing white tulle veil edged with lace. She carried an arm bouquet of pink carnations. The bride was attended by her sister, Miss Alma Krause, who wore a dress of pink org-

andy and Miss Lorrain Worner, who wore a gown of light blue French lace trimmed in dubonnette velvet. They wore white carnations.

The groom was attended by his brother, Harold Zietlow and Leonard Gall, a friend from New Boston, MO. They all wore blue suits.

The happy couple will live on the Paul Boelke farm south of Great Bend.

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November 3, 1938

## FALK - GREEN

Saturday morning at 9 AM in the parsonage of St. Philip's Church, Miss Marjorie Green became the bride of Mr. Charles Falk, son of Mrs. Amelia Falk. Rev. Joseph F. Studnicka officiated at the ceremony. Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Erb attended the couple.

The bride was gowned in a suit effect dress of dubonnet silk crepe and she wore matching accessories presenting a lovely appearance.

A wedding breakfast was served the bridal party at the home of the bride's mother following the service. After a short wedding trip, Mr. and Mrs. Falk are making their home in Hankinson.

The bride, a graduate of Hankinson High School, is an accomplished young lady, a leader in church, civic and society in our city. She has been employed in the teaching profession since her graduation.

Congratulations and best wishes for a happy future is the sincere wishes of all their friends.

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#### MELCHER - JAEGER

A quiet wedding was performed at Sisseton, SD., Saturday noon when Miss Dorothy Melcher, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Melcher became the bride of Jerome Jaeger, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Jaeger.

The bride wore an aqua blue silk dress of street length with matching accessories.

Miss Verna Brummond was bridesmaid and George Fischer was best man.

The couple will make their home in Hankinson.

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November 3, 1938

# BELLIN - FOELTZ

A very pretty wedding was solemnized at the parsonage of Emmanuel Evangelical Church on Wednesday evening, Nov. 2nd, when Miss Leona Bellin, of Hankinson, became the bride of Mr. Edward Foeltz, of Rosholt. The beautiful ring ceremony was used in the service which was read by Rev. Eyrich.

Gordon Krueger, a cousin of the groom acted as best man, while Miss Verona Bellin was her sister's attendant. The young people will make their home on the farm of the groom's father about three miles north of Rosholt. The good wishes of a host of friends accompany them as they set out on life's journey together.

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November 3, 1938

## HANLON - BRATT

Announcements were received here this week, of the marriage of Mrs. Mike Hanlon, daughter of Mrs. H. J. Krueger on Friday October 28th at Mound City, SD., to Mr. Aaron E.

Bratt. They will be at home in Pollock, SD., after Nov. 15th, where the groom is employed on the Soo Line.

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At the St. Francis DeSales Church in Claremont, MN., Saturday morning, Oct. 22nd, Miss Lorna Farrington, of Mantorville, MN., became the bride of Mr. Eugene J. Brennan, of Waterloo, IA. .....NEW EFFINGTON NEWS....

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November 3, 1938

#### SWARTWOOD - ERB

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Erb received the announcement of the marriage of their son, Herbert, of Adrian, MI., to Miss Laura Swartwood, of Adrian, MI., on Saturday, November 5th at Adrian. Mr. Erb is employed at Van Camp's Condensery in that city.

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November 10, 1938

#### TISCHER - MILLER

Tuesday afternoon at the Lutheran parsonage Miss Mabel Tischer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Tischer, was united in marriage to Mr. Milton Miller, son of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Miller, of Fairmount, Rev. J. P. Klausler officiating.

The bride wore a royal blue silk crepe dress with glittering old trimmings and carried a corsage of yellow roses. The bride was attended by her sister, Miss Viola Tischer, who wore a blue crepe dress and carried a corsage of pink sweet peas. Clarence Miller, a brother of the groom was best man.

A reception was held at the bride's home following the ceremony. A shower and dance was also given in the evening at Grawe's Hall.

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November 17, 1938

## WILPRECHT - BROCKBERG

#### NEWLYWEDS HERE

Miss Gladys Dalseg and Mr. Vernon Nelson were united in marriage last Thursday at Battle Lake, MN.. On their way back from their honeymoon they stopped in to see Mrs. Nelson's brother, Olaf Dalseg, Sunday. They will live on a farm near Fergus Falls.

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November 17, 1938

Word was received here by Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Robey that John Milton Cox and Miss Lois Kelmyr were united in marriage Sunday at the St. Barnbers Catholic Church in Hudson, WI.

The couple spent a short honeymoon in Minneapolis. They will make their home in Hudson, WI., where Milton recently purchased a barber shop.

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November 24, 1938

## THANKSGIVING WEDDING

A pretty wedding was solemnized Thursday afternoon at 4 o'clock Thanksgiving Day at the Trinity Lutheran Church when Miss Adelia Gollnick, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Gollnick, of Great Bend, became the bride of Robert Charles Dunfar, of Madison, WI. The

ceremony was performed by Rev. Rengstorf.

The bride was attired in a gown of light blue taffeta, finger tip veil with accessories to match and carried a bouquet of yellow roses. Miss Florence Bisek, friend of the
bride, acted as bridesmaid. She wore a wine colored silk gown of floor length. Arthur
Gollnick, brother of the bride, acted as best man. Eunice Bohn, niece of the bride, was
flower girl. After the ceremony a wedding dinner was served at the home of the bride's
parents.

A host of friends extend congratulations and wish the young couple happiness and success.

(Groom's name...Duncan ?)

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December 1, 1938

#### GABBERT - HIGHUM

A very pretty wedding was solemnized at the Lutheran parsonage when Miss Helen Gabbert was united in holy wedlock to Theordore Highum. Rev. J. P. Klausler conducted the services.

Helen is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Gabbert, of south of town, and the groom, Mr. Highum, comes from Granite Falls, MN. Attendants were Louis Gabbert and Eva Highum.

The couple will make their home in Granite Falls, and a host of friends throughout this community extend congratulations and best wishes for their happiness.

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December 1, 1938

MANTADOR....Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Duwenhoegger and daughter, Arlene Jean, of Peever, SD., attended the wedding of the former's brother, Alfred and Miss Evelyn Kaners.

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December 1, 1938

## TESCH - LAWRENCE

LIDGERWOOD....Immanuel Lutheran Church was the scene of a wedding November 22, when Miss Lucinda Tesch, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Tesch, exchanged marriage vows with Albert Lawrence, of Wild Rose, ND. The ceremony was held at 2 PM, Rev. Julius Cloeter officiated.

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## CLEOPHA SCHRAMM MARRIED IN ILLINOIS

FAIRMOUNT....Announcements were received this week of the marriage of Miss Cleopha Schramm and Mr. H. P. Tinneman, of St. Joe, MN., which took place on Thanksgiving Day at Joliet, IL.

Miss Schramm is a daughter of Tom Schramm and is well known here, having been a former graduate of the local high school. She also attended the college of St. Benedict at St. Joe, and recently was attending the Univ. of Chicago. They will reside at St. Joe, MN., where the groom is employed.

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December 8, 1938

## BUCKHOUSE - BAIER

A very pretty wedding took place on Wednesday afternoon, Dec. 14th, when Magdalena Baier became the bride of Mr. Otto Buckhouse. To the strains of Lohengrin's Wedding March the couple entered the church attended by Mr. and Mrs. Roy Baier, brother of the bride and sister of the groom respectively. The bride and groom were led to the altar by Miss Ella Kiel, who was a very pretty little flower girl.

While the organ softly intoned "I Love You Truly," Rev. Eyrich read the marriage service, using the impressive ring ceremony, according to the ritual of the Evangelical Church. Miss Laura Eyrich presided at the organ.

The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Buckhouse and is well and favorably known in this community. The bride is the daughter of Mrs. G. Dupree, and her home is in Minnesota near White Rock, SD. Having been a frequent visitor here, she also has a wide circle of friends in this community.

#### KRAUSE - GALL

Miss Alma S. Krause, of Hankinson, and Mr. Leonard R. Gall of New Boston, MO., were quietly married at 7 o'clock Sunday evening, Dec. 4th, 1938, at the parsonage of Rev. Myron Griswold in Beauford, MN. Rev. Griswold officiated at the ceremony. Miss Frances Healy, of Mapleton, MN., a friend of the bride, acted as bridesmaid and George Foster, also of Mapleton, a friend of the groom, acted as best man, and they were their only attendants.

The bride wore a blue silk crepe dress with net sleeves and was trimmed with velvet and rhinestones and carried a bouquet of white carnations. The bridesmaid wore a navy blue silk dress and carried a bouquet of pink carnations. The groom wore a dark blue suit and the best man wore an oxford grey suit.

The bride is the youngest daughter of Mrs. Herman Krause and has grown to young woman-hood in this community and is a graduate of the Hankinson High School class of 1938. The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. T. Gall, of New Boston, MO., and graduated from the Shelby High School, of Shelby MO., with the class of 1937.

The happy young couple lwft the following morning on their honeymoon trip to Missouri and other points of interest, where they will visit friends and realatives. They will be at home at Mapleton, MN., after March 1st.

Their many friends extend congratulations and best wishes for a long and happy wedded life.

\* \* \* \* \* \* \* \* \* \* \* \* December 15, 1938

Lawrence Gabbert, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Gabbert and Miss Verna Feldmann, of Grafton, were married by Rev. J. P. Klausler at the Lutheran parsonage, on Dec. 22nd. Louis Gabbert and Ruby Koehler were their attendants.

The bride wore a beautiful turquoise blue satin floor length dress and the bridesmaid wore a dubonnet silk floor length dress. The men wore dark suits.

Miss Feldmann has been teaching school in this vicinity for the past few years. The couple will make their home at Grafton.

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#### GILSETH - CHRISLOCK

The Swanson farm near Hankinson was the scene of a wedding on Dec. 30th, when Valborg Gilseth, daughter of Rev. and Mrs. A. Gilseth, of Seattle, WA., became the bride of Carl Chrislock, son of Mr. C. H. Chrislock, of Wanamingo, MN. Rev. A. Gilseth, father of the bride, officiated. The single ring ceremony was used.

The bride was attended by her cousin, Miss Alvina Swanson, Oscar Swanson, of Hankinson attended the groom as best man. The bride was attired in a rust crepe dress with accessories to match. Miss Swanson wore a cherry wine crepe dress with complimentary accessories.

NEW EFFINGTON....A pretty wedding took place at the home of Rev. Dreyer's, Dec. 26th, when Miss Signe Stave was united in marriage with Mr. Merlin Holness, of Veblen. Miss Agnes Stave was bridesmaid and Mr. Milton Haaland was best man. The happy couple will make their home on a farm near Veblen.

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January 12, 1939

## WOLF - BOHN

Chester Bohn and Edna Wolf were married at Sisseton two weeks ago, but kept the ceremony secret until the shower given Sunday at Hankinson. The bride is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Julius Wolf, of Great Bend, and the groom is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Bohn, of Hammer.

After a short honeymoon spent in Minnesota they will be at home near Hammer. A host of friends extend congratulations.

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January 26, 1939

## OSTBY - MARTINEK

Norman Ostby, son of Mr. and Mrs. Severt Ostby, and Miss Helen Martinek, daughter of Mr. Wencil Martinek, were united in marriage by Rev. Dreyer at the Lutheran Church in Sisseton, Monday. The newly weds will reside in So. St. Paul.

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January 26, 1939

Announcements were received this week of the marriage of Meredith Frances Williams, better known as Monte Williams, of Fairmount, to Miss Esta Ruth Holmes, of Casselton. The wedding took place Monday in the rectory of St. John's Church in Moorhead.

Monte was formerly with the Tempo Kings and is now with Carl Colby's Orchestra.

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February 2, 1939

Miss Pearl Manske, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Manske, of Great Bend, and Mr. Eldon Thiele, of Great Bend, are to be married today, February 9th, at Great Bend.

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February 9, 1939

## MANSKE - THIELE

A very pretty wedding was solemnized Thursday evening when Miss Pearl Manske, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Manske, of Great Bend, and Eldon Thiele, son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter

Thiele, of Great Bend, were joined in wedlock at 6 o'clock. The ceremony was performed by Rev. J. Rengstorf at the home of the bride.

The bridal party entered to the strains of Mendelssohn's Wedding March, which was played by the bride's cousin, Mrs. Henry E. Bohn.

Attending the bridal couple were Miss Elaine Bohn and Manville Stoltenow. For her wedding gown the bride wore a navy blue silk dress. Her flowers were arranged in a corsage of yellow roses and sweet peas. Following the ceremony a wedding dinner was served to over 60 guests. Both the bride and bridegroom have been life long residents of this community and they have a host of friends who extend congratulations and wish for their happiness.

Mr. and Mrs. Thiele will make their home with Mr. and Mrs. Herman Manske.

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February 16, 1939

#### MARRIED

Miss Dorothy Zwickl, of Lidgerwood, was united in marriage to Milton Ulstad, of Claire City, Sunday, Jan. 29th, at Lidgerwood. They are making their home at Claire City.

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February 16, 1939

#### LEINEN - SNYDER

Lawrence Leinen, of Fairmount, and Rose Snyder, of Wadena, were united in marriage at St. Anthony's Church in Fairmount, Monday. They were attended by Miss Phyllis Leinen and Nick Snyder, of Wadena. The couple will make their home with the groom's parents.

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February 23, 1939

#### MEYER - SCHMIDT

Bernice Meyer, former Sonora girl and Elmer Schmidt, of Mooreton, were united in marriage Thursday forenoon in the St. John's Church, Rev. Fr. Meyer officiated. The bride was charmingly attired in a royal blue dress with matching accessories. The bridesmaid, Evelyn Eichhorn, a cousin of the bride wore a green dress with accessories to match. The groom's attendant was Fred Meyer. Mr. and Mrs. Schmidt will reside with his parents.

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February 23, 1939

#### WARD - HOLM

Leonard Ward, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. George Ward, was united in marriage to Miss Twila Holm, on Feb. 19th, at Wilmington, CA., the ceremony taking place at the home of her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Putman.

The bride was dressed in a dusky pink creation and wore a corsage of gardenias. Her bridesmaid was Miss Luella Montana and best man, Walter Putman, cousin of the groom. The groom is associated with a cement and contracting company in California.

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March 2, 1939

#### WEDDING TRIP

Mr. and Mrs. Detlof Mumm, of Lidgerwood, returned last week from a wedding trip to the east coast and Florida. They were accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Parsley.

The two couples were married in a double ceremony in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Mumm, Sr., Dec. 30th, with Rev. Julius Cloeter officiating.

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March 9, 1939

#### WHITE - PARSONS

#### FAKTOR - KRIZ

The marriage of Miss Verna Faktor to Leonard Kriz, of Cayuga, was solemnized in Sisseton last week. The couple will live on a farm near Cayuga.

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April 20, 1939

Saturday morning, a pretty wedding was solemnized at Sisseton, SD., when Miss Helen Coyla Payne, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Payne, was united in marriage to Mr. John White, son of Mr. and Mrs. Mike White.

The bride was attired in a navy blue silk dress, fashioned on princess lines and wore japonica tan accessories. She wore a corsage of sweet peas, snap dragons and roses. The bride's only attendant was her sister, Mrs. Leonard Schlener, who wore a brown and yellow silk dirndl with lime green accessories and a corsage of sweet peas and snap dragons.

Mr. and Mrs. White spent a short wedding trip in Watertown, SD. Mrs. White is teaching in Wyndmere and Mr. White is engaged in business here. The couple will make their home here.

Mrs. A. C. Payne served a wedding dinner at her home for the bridal party Sunday.

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April 27, 1939

## JOHNSON - BOMMERSBACH

Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock, Miss Edith J. Johnson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Benj. Johnson, of Marion, ND., and Mr. John J. Bommersbach, son of Mr. and Mrs. Martin Bommersbach, were united in Holy Wedlock by Rev. Father Jos. Studnicka at the St. Philip's Parish House.

The bride wore a dusty rose gown with navy blue accessories. She completed her costume with a corsage of yellow roses and white sweet peas. Miss Virginia Johnson, of Marion,
ND., sister of the bride, attended Mrs. Bommersbach. She was attired in a navy blue print
dress. Anton Bommersbach attended his brother. Mr. and Mrs. Bommersbach are making their
home on a farm three miles northwest of Hankinson but Mrs. Bommersbach will continue working
at Linehan's Beauty Shop until the end of this year.

Following the ceremony the couple left for Marion, ND., where they were served a wedding dinner at 8 o'clock at the bride's parental home.

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April 27, 1939

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Krueger announce the marriage of their daughter, Ethel, of San Deigo, CA., to Mr. Raymond F. Horton, also of that city on Saturday, April 29th, at 8 o'clock at the Lutheran Church in East San Diego, Rev. Nogel performing the ceremony. Mr. and Mrs. Leo Alzheimer acting as witnesses.

Miss Krueger is well and favorable known here having graduated from the local schools, also having graduated from the Broadway School of Cosmetology of San Diego, CA.

Mr. Horton is a graduate of the San Diego High School and of the Univ. of Southern California and also having graduated from the Diesel Engineering School of Los Angeles, CA. After a brief trip to Catalina Island, Mr. and Mrs. Horton will make their home in San Diego, where Mr. Horton is employed at the Ryan Aeronautical Company.

We wish to extend our congratulations.

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May 4, 1939

Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock a pretty wedding was solemnized when Miss Viola Tischer was united in marriage to Mr. Carl Gast. The wedding took place in Tyler with Rev. Schumacher officiating.

Mr. and Mrs. Gast will make their home in Wahpeton where Mr. Gast is employed.

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May 11, 1939

## SCHMIDT - MEIDE

Miss Marjory Schmidt, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Max Schmidt, and Clifford Meide, son of Mr. and Mrs. Emil Meide, were quietly married at Wahpeton, May 16th. Miss Mildred Stoltenow and Jerome Meide were witnesses. The couple will make their home on a farm near Fairmount.

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June 1, 1939

Henry Meyer and Louise Rettig, of Wahpeton took out a marriage license at Sisseton,

May 23rd.

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## GILBERTSON - OSBORN

Rev. and Mrs. W. M. Osborn and family motored to Sanborn on Wednesday, where they attended the wedding of their son, Lieut. Osborn to Miss Helen Gilbertson. Rev. Osborn performed the wedding ceremony.

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June 8, 1939

## RINDTS WEDDED

Friday June 2nd a quiet wedding was solemnized at St. Philip's parsonage, when Joseph Rindt, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Rindt, was united in marriage to Miss Alice Mathie, of Wheatland. The immediate families were present. Miss Betty Rindt attended the bride and Thomas Rindt was best man. The newlyweds left for the Black Hills on a honeymoon.

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Miss Dora Landgren of Underwood, became the bride of Thomas Rindt, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Rindt, Saturday, June 3rd. A beautiful ceremony took place at the home of the bride with Father Weiger officiating. Mr. and Mrs. Rindt left for a wedding trip to Duluth, MN. They will make their home in Fargo. Mr. and Mrs. J. Rindt attended the wedding.

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June 8, 1939

## HENTZ - NAVRATIL

LeRoy Hentz and Lillian Navratil, the former of Lidgerwood, son of John A. Hentz, the latter of New Effington, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leopold Navratil, were married at 2 PM., Tuesday, June 6th, at Emmanuel Evangelical Church, Rev. Eyrich officiating. Faith Eyrich presided at the organ.

Attendants were Raymond Hentz, brother of the groom, and the following brothers and sisters of the bride: Agnes (paired with Raymond Hentz,) Steve and Mayme, Wencel and Rosie Navratil. A reception was held at the home of the bride for immediate relatives. The new-lyweds will spend a short honeymoon at Detroit Lakes, MN.

The young people intend to make their home in this community.

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June 8, 1939

#### BRIX - GRAY

Miss Dorothy Gray, of Sanborn, became the bride of Mr. Henry Brix, of Valley City, on Saturday, June 3rd, at the Congregational Parsonage, Rev. Osborn officiating.

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June 8, 1939

#### WAGNER - BORK

Hubert Wagner and Miss Hazel Bork were married at St. Philip's parsonage Thursday.

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Mrs. Martin Richied, Donald and James and Regina Richied, of Wadena, left Sunday for Chicago to attend the marriage of Eddie Richied to Miss Ann Elizabeth Stach, daughter of Mrs. Suzanne Stach at Sacred Heart Church, 1900 South Peoria Street on Saturday.

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June 22, 1939

## LICENSES ISSUED

Applications for marriage licenses this week were: Clarence Schmitt and Phyllis Leinen, of Fairmount; Elizabeth Bommersbach, Hankinson, and Amos M. Miland, Chicago, at Wahpeton.

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## WEDDING BELLS

## Schubert - Buck

One of the attractive weddings of this week, Wednesday, was that of Miss Evelyn Martha Schubert, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Schubert, and Mr. Alvin Buck, of San Diego, CA., son of Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Buck, of rural Wahpeton, which took place in Belford Lutheran Church with Rev. Cordts officiating. The nuptial music was played by Mrs. Cordts.

The brides gown of white silk tulle was fashioned with a full skirt and puffed sleeves and featured a lace bolero. A cluster of white calla lilies held the bride's full length veil edged in lace and she carried a bouquet of calla lilies and roses. The bride wore the pearl necklace that her mother wore at her wedding. Miss Ruth Schubert, sister of the bride, was maid of honor and wore a pink silk net dress witha matching head dress. Miss Viola Buck wore blue silk net with a matching head dress. They carried bouquets of lilies-of-the-valley and pink roses.

Little Delores Roeder served as flower girl, wearing a white moire taffeta gown. Mrs. Schubert wore rose lace and Mrs. Buck wore blue lace with matching corsages.

Mr. John Buck was bestman and Elroy Schubert was an usher. The beautiful single ring ceremony was used.

A reception was held at the bride's home immediately after the ceremony. The Schubert home was decorated with streamers of blue, pink and white. The center attraction was a beautiful wedding cake, baked by Miss Ruth Schubert.

Mr. and Mrs. Buck will leave on the 5th of July for their home in San Diego, CA., where Mr. Buck is employed.

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June 29, 1939

#### RICHIED - STACK

On Saturday, June 24th, a pretty wedding occurred in Chicago at the Sacred Heart Church, when Edward Richied, former Hankinson man, married Miss Anna Stach.

Following the ceremony a wedding breakfast was served at the bride's home and a reception was held at the Bohemian American Hall.

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June 29, 1939

## GREEN - KATH WEDDING HELD

Miss Agnes Kath, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Kath, became the bride of Mr. Ray Green, son of Mrs. Sarah Green, Thursday. Rev. J. E. Melchert at Sisseton performed the ceremony. The couple left immediately for Minneapolis and St. Paul, where they will spend several days.

The bride has taught school here for several years and is a talented and admirable young lady. The groom is a prominent businessman of this city. Friends extend heartiest congratulations.

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GREAT BEND....A pretty wedding was performed at 3 o'clock last thursday, June 15th at the First Evangelical Church at Paynesville, MN., when Miss Phyllis Celeste Manz, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John E. Manz and Donald M. Griepentrog, of Great Bend, son of Mr. and Mrs. Anton Griepentrog, were married. Rev. Padoll performed the ceremony.

The bride wore a gown of white street length with white accessories to match. Her attendant was her sister, Elaine. She wore a gown of blue with white accessories. The groom was attended by his cousin, Manvil Stoltenow, of Great Bend. Many friends and acquaintances wish them much joy and success in their happiness for the future.

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June 29, 1939

#### LEINEN - SCHMIT

Phyllis Leinen was married to Clarence Schmit on Wednesday morning at St. Anthony's Church at Fairmount by Rev. Fr. Bierens. Mr. and Mrs. Frank LaQua and children attended the reception given in the evening at the bride's home.

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June 29, 1939

A pretty wedding was solemnized Sunday, June 25th, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. Gerhardson at Fergus Falls, MN., when Miss Rosella Sedler, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Sedler, became the bride of Mr. Raymond Balken, son of Mrs. Ida Balken, of Fergus Falls. Rev. Reuben H. Strutz, pastor of the Calvary Evangelical Church in Fargo officiated.

They left on a honeymoon to the twin cities and upon their return will make their

home in Fergus Falls, where the groom is employed.

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June 29, 1939

#### BOMMERSBACH - MELEN

Thursday afternoon at 4 o'clock Miss Elizabeth Bommersbach, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Martin Bommersbach, was united in Holy Matrimony to Amos Melen, of Chicago, at St. Philip's Parish house by Father Studnicka.

The bride wore a light blue and white silk print dress and wore a corsage of pink roses. Mrs. Ben Herding was the bride's only attendant. Mr. Anton Bommersbach, brother of the bride attended Mr. Melen.

Mrs. Melen was born and reared here. She has been employed in Chicago the past three years. A wedding dinner was served to immediate relatives following the ceremony at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Martin Bommersbach.

Mr. and Mrs. Melen left Tuesday for Chicago, where they will make their home and where Mr. Melen is employed as a barber.

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June 29, 1939

#### HANSON - STOCK

Thursday evening the First Lutheran Church was the scene of the wedding of Miss Lubelle Hanson and Mr. Dale Stock, formerly of this city. The ceremony was performed at 7:30 by the Rev. J. Linnevold. The church was beautifully decorated with large bouquets of white daisies and larkspur, and the wedding party passed through an improvised arch wreathed in flowers.

Mrs. Al Smith played soft music on the organ preceding the ceremony and Miss Julis Transrud sang "Ah Sweet Mystery of Life," "Oh Promise Me," and "I Love You Truly." To the strains of "The Wedding March" from Lohengrin, the bride entered on the arm of her uncle Oscar Helgeson. Her gown of white embroidered organdy, was fashioned with long sleeves, slightly puffed at the shoulders and had a slight train. Her tulle veil was finger tip length and was held in place by a cluster of flowers. She carried a white prayer book, and as her only ornament she wore a string of pearls, the gift of the groom.

The maid of honor, Mrs. Lester Smedstad, wore pink embroidered organdy made with short puffed sleeves and sweeping skirt. The bridesmaids, Mrs. Kenneth LeDuc, Miss Marion Stock and Miss Sylvia Flom, wore embroidered organdy dresses in pastel colors, fashioned like that of the maid of honor.

The groom was attended by Mr. Ralph Oliver, of Hankinson, and had as ushers, Mr. Kenneth LeDuc and Mr. Lester Smedstad, of Glenwood, and Mr. Rodney Johnson, of Browerville, MN. The groom and his attendants were attired in white flannel trousers and dark coats.

After a ceremony a wedding reception was held in the church parlors, at which time a short program of toasts and music was presented. Mrs. Alma Hanson, mother of the bride, wore rose beige lace and her corsage was of roses and swansonia.

Out of town guests were Mr. and Mrs. William Korff and Miss Lucille Irafeld, of Brower-ville, MN., Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Oliver, Mrs. E. A. Lea and Mrs. L. E. Aldrich, all of Hankin-

son, and Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Rule, of Schenectady, NY.

Miss Hanson is a Glenwood girl, having grown up in that city. She was graduated from the Glenwood High School and since then has been employed as a clerk in local stores. She has won the admiration and respect of everyone by her cheerful winning personality and has a host of friends who wish her well.

The groom moved to Glenwood a few years ago and was employed there for some time. At present he is employed in Browerville, MN., as lino-type operator for the "Todd County Progressive." The happy couple will make their home in Browerville, and the best wishes of this community go with them for a long and happy life.

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July 6, 1939

## LIENEN - SCHMIDT

A pretty wedding took place in St. Anthony's Church in Fairmount on June 28th, when Miss Phyllis Lienen, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Lienen, was united in marriage to Clarence Schmidt, oldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Mike Schmidt, both of this vicinity.

The nuptial took place at 9 o'clock with a single ring ceremony. Mass was celebrated by Rev. Fr. Bierens.

The bride was beautifully attired in a floor length white satin dress with a long trailing veil and carried a bouquet of roses. Audrey Clarcy and Grace Roth were her little flower girls. Miss Catherine Schmidt was the bridesmaid. She wore a gown of pink organdy. Jerome Lienen, brother of the bride, acted as bestman.

Following the ceremony the bridal party motored to the bride's home where they and a large number of relatives were entertained at a wedding dinner. In the evening a reception and dance was given in the Egan Hall at Tyler.

## BRACKIN - ROLLOFSON

Miss Carice Rollofson, of Devils Lake, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Rollofson, of Starkweather, and Mr. George Brackin, of Wahpeton, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Brackin, of Hankinson, were united in marriage in Devils Lake Wednesday morning.

The Sacred Heart Parish of Chicago, was the scene of the marriage at 10 AM., Saturday, June 24th, of Miss Ann Stach, daughter of Mrs. Suzanna Stach, of Chicago, to Edward Richied, son of Mr. and Mrs. Martin Richied, Hankinson, ND.

The altar was banked with cybotuim palms and ferns and decorated with bouquets of gladiolas. The Rev. Father Walsh, pastor of the church, read the service and celebrated the nuptial Mass. After the bride had offered a bouquet to the altar of the Blessed Virgin, the groom lit a candle in honor of St. Josepth.

The bride, who was given away in marriage by her brother, wore a gown of white satin made with a long train. The gown was fashioned with long sleeves and ornamented with white pearls. The bride wore a long veil and her bouquet was of calla lilies and lilies of the valley.

Misses Connie Ceshura, the maid of honor, wore nile green marquisette and the bridesmaids, Misses Connie Ceshura, Elizabeth Stach and Mrs. Mary Freda wore gowns of lilac marquisette and matching hats. Little Eileen Stach, niece of the bride, was flower girl and Donny Richied, brother of the groom, was ring bearer. The attendants carried bouquets of tea roses and wore gold lockets, their gifts from the bride.

Joseph Stach was the best man and the ushers were James Richied and Roy Freda. They, like the groom, wore tuxedos with white mesa jackets.

A wedding breakfast was held at the brides home for immediate relatives and at 8 o'clock in the evening a reception was held at the Bohemian American Hall, 1438 W. 18th Street.

After a short trip the couple will make their home in Chicago where the groom is employed.

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# WEDDING KEPT SECRET SINCE LAST APRIL

Cox - Weber

Mr. and Mrs. Howard S. Cox announce the marriage of their daughter, Norma Jeanne, to Mr. Arthur J. Weber, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. Weber, of rural Mantador, April 10th at 4 o' clock in Sisseton, SD.

The bride was attired in a tailored black sheer wool dress and she wore American Beauty accessories. She completed her costume with a corsage of American Beauty roses. Her attendant was Miss Ester Tysuer, of New Effington, SD., Warren DeVan attended the groom. The single ring ceremony was used. Mr. John L. Minder officiated.

Mr. Weber is a graduate of Hankinson High School and is now a rural mail carrier. Mrs. Weber also attended school here. Mr. and Mrs. Weber will make their home here.

They have the best wishes of this community for a happy wedded life.

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July 20, 1939

## MOTIS - THEEDE

Tuesday morning at 8 o'clock Mass at St. Mary's Church in Breckenridge was the scene of a pretty wedding when Miss Emma Motis, of Hankinson, and Anthony Theede, of Breckenridge were married by Fr. Petermeyer. The altar was beautifully decorated with bouquets of gladiolas and larkspur.

The bride's gown of white satin was fashioned with long sleeves featuring a lace bolero. Her veil was cap effect and ornamented with pearls and full length. She carried a
bouquet of sweet peas, tea roses and baby breath. Margaret Theede, sister of the groom
was maid of honor and wore a blue taffetta dress and carried a bouquet of carnations and
baby breath. Anton Motis, brother of the bride was best man.

Following the ceremony a wedding breakfast was served at the goom's home, for the bridal party. After a short honeymoon trip to eastern points in Minnesota, they will make their home in Breckenridge. Friends extend heartiest congratulations.

Sigwald S. Peterson, 3101 Park Avenue, announces the engagement of his niece, Miss Gerturde Louise Peterson, to Curtis Cutlan Kirkham, son of Mr. and Mrs. Roy E. Kirkham, of Harvey, ND., formerly of Hankinson. For her maid of honor at the marriage on August 5th, Miss Peterson has chosen Miss Eloise Greenwood.

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July 20, 1939

## BEITO - KORNMEYER

Word was received Monday of the marriage of Melvin "Smiley" Beito to Miss Margaret "Peggy" Kornmeyer, of Decorah, IA., on Sunday. The happy young couple will live at West Union, IA., where the groom is engaged in business.

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July 20, 1939

## BRACKIN - ROLLOFSON

A beautiful and impressive ceremony occurred when Miss Clarice Rollofson, of Devils Lake, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Rollofson, of Starkweather, became the bride of Mr. George Brackin, of Wahpeton, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Brackin, of Hankinson, at a 9 o' clock wedding los Mass in St. Joseph's Catholic Church in Devils Lake, Wednesday morning, July 12th. Bouquets of asters, daises and baby breath were used to decorate the altar. Rev. Father Demetrius, O. S. B. read the Mass. Miss Mary Noel Tharaison presided at the organ, playing nuptial music during the Mass including Lohengren's Wedding March and Mendolssohn's Recessional.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, was attired in a floor length gown of white satin, cut on fitted lines with an over jacket of white satin, with leg-o-mutton sleeves and fastened down the front with a row of white satin buttons. Her veil was caught about her head in a tiara of pompoms and baby breath. She carried a sheath of Johann-ahill roses and baby breath.

Miss Dorothy Ellis, of Starkweather, the bridesmaid, who preceeded the bride up the aisle, was attired in a floor length gown of rose moire with fitted bodice and flowing skirt. She wore a flowered hat of pink pompoms and roses, tied at the back with rose moire ribbon. Her bouquet was of columbia roses and baby breath. Mr. Elroy Kinn, of Hankinson, attended Mr. Brackin. Mrs. Rollofson, the bride's mother, wore a street length gown of navy blue sheer with matching accessories and wore a corsage orchid asters, columbia roses and baby breath. Mrs. Brackin, mother of the bridegroom, wore powder blue lace with matching hat and white accessories. Her corsage was of Johanahill roses and baby breath.

Following the ceremony, covers were laid for 25 guests at a wedding breakfast at Mit-chell's Cafe. Bouquets of asters, daisies and baby breath were used for table decorations.

Following a short motor trip through Minnesota the couple will spend a month at their cottage at Otter Tail Lake, MN., and will then make their home at Wahpeton. For travel the bride wore a black sheer dress with white accessories.

Mrs. Brackin is a graduate of Starkweather High School and was graduated from Wahpeton State School of Science with a two year degree in secretarial work. She has been employed at the county agents office in Devils Lake for the past year. Mr. Brackin was graduated

from Hankinson High School, and attended the Agricultural College at Fargo, there he was affiliated with Alpha Tau Omega Fraternity. He was graduated from the State School of Science in Wahpeton and is now the manager of the Science School Book Store and Boarding Department of Science. He has also been assistant coach at the college for the past five years.

Out of town guests attending the wedding and breakfast included: Mrs. Frank Brackin and daughter, Dorothy, Mrs. George Biggs and Mr. and Mrs. Elroy Kinn, of Hankinson, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Rollofson and son, Jack, Mr. and Mrs. George Rollofson and son, Donald, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Shively, Mr. and Mrs. Clark Deal, Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Deal and Mr. and Mrs. Hobart Quick and son, Robert, all of Starkweather.

The many friends of Mr. and Mrs. Brackin wish for them a long and most happy wedded life.

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## AGNES KUKLISH IS BRIDE OF H. ZIEBARTH

HAMMER....Miss Agnes Kuklish and Harold Ziebarth were married Saturday, July 22nd, at Fergus Falls, MN., by Rev. Walter Frederick.

The bride is the only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Kuklish, of New Effington, the groom the only son of Mrs. Amanda Ziebarth, of Hammer.

They will make their home at Hammer, where the groom is engaged in business. Their large host of friends wish them the greatest of happiness through their journey of wedded life.

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## ERNST - SLABY WEDDING SOLEMNIZED HERE TODAY

The Evangelical Lutheran Church of this city was the scene of a very pretty wedding this (Thursday) afternoon when Miss Ann Slaby, daughter of Mrs. Matt Slaby, of Lidgerwood became the bride of Arthur Ernst, son of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Ernst, of this city. The ceremony took place at 3 o'clock with Rev. J. P. Klausler officiating.

The bridal party entered the church to the strains of Lohrengrin's Wedding March played by Mrs. Raymond Green, of Lidgerwood.

The bride was charmingly attired in a navy blue ensemble with accessories to match. She wore a corsage of roses. She was attended by Miss Lena Bladow, of Pasadena, CA., Aunt of the groom. Miss Bladow was attired in a dress of dark green silk crepe with accessories to match. She also wore a corsage of roses. Joseph Slaby, brother of the bride acted as best man.

Immediately following the ceremony a wedding reception was held at Lidgerwood in the home of the bride's mother.

The happy couple will make their home at New York Mills, MN., where the groom is engaged as coach and teacher in the High School. Both contracting parties are well and favorably known here. Mrs. Ernst is a graduate of the Lidgerwood High School and has been employed by the Bell Telephone Company at Lidgerwood for the past year. Mr. Ernst, who grew to manhood in this city, was graduated from the Hankinson High School. He attended Concordia College at Moorhead, MN., where he was affiliated with the Delta Rho Society and the Letter Man's Club and where he won many honors for his athletic ability. He was engaged

as coach and teacher at New York Mills High School during the past year.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernst have a host of friends who extend congratulations and best wishes for a long and happy wedded life.

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August 10, 1939

## WEDDING BELLS

Miss Minnie Bellin, daughter of Charles Bellin, and Manly E. Larson, son of Mrs. E. Larson, both of Minneapolis, were married at the Miss Jessie K. Cray home in that city Saturday. Details will be available for next week's paper.

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August 10, 1939

## WEDDING BELLS ARE RINGING

## Peitz - Saraas

Miss Cecilia Peitz, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Peitz, of this city, and Mr. Adolph Saraas, of Valley City, were united in marriage at Winnipeg, Manitoba, Canada, Tuesday August 8th.

Mr. and Mrs. Roger M. Larson, of Casselton, sister and brother-in-law of the groom attended the couple.

The bride is a graduate of the Hankinson High School, and has a Bachelor of Arts Degree from the Valley City Teachers' College. For the past three years she has been employed as teacher in the High Schools of Jamestown, ND.

Mr. Saraas is Registar of the State Teachers' College at Valley City, from which he is a graduate. He has a Master's Degree at the Univ. of Iowa.

## NAPRAVNIK - VINGERUD

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Vingerud, of Northwood, ND., announce the marriage of their daughter Margaret, to Mr. Joseph Napravnik, Jr., of Wahpeton.

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August 17, 1939

## ENGAGEMENT ANNOUNCED

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Hanson, 5256 Chowen, Minneapolis, announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Irene, to the Rev. Walter Rengstorf, son of Rev. and Mrs. John Rengstorf, of Great Bend. The wedding will take place at 8 o'clock in the evening on Sept. 14th, at St. Peter's Lutheran Church in Minneapolis. Miss Elsie Rengstorf, of St. Louis, will serve as maid of honor and the bridesmaids will be the bride elects nieces.

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August 17, 1939

# WEDDING BELLS

The home of Miss Jessie K. Cray at 2304 Pillsbury Ave., Minneapolis, was the scene Saturday evening of the marriage of her long time employee, Miss Minnie Bellin, daughter of Charles Bellin, to Mr. Manley E. Larson, son of Mrs. E. Larson of 2749 10th Ave. So., Minneapolis. The Rev. T. Addison read the service before a setting of cibotium ferns, palms and white and pink gladioli. Miss Ruth Myring, friend of the bride played the wedding march.

The bride who was given in marriage by her father wore a gown of white mousseline De Soire in princess style, her fingertip veil was arranged with a halo headdress and she carried a bouquet of talisman roses, swainsonii and lilies-of-the-valley. Miss Violet Larson, sister of the groom was the only bridal attendant. She wore a gown of cornflower blue taffeta and carried a colonial bouquet. Mr. Roy Berg, friend of Mr. Larson, served as best man. The usher was Mr. Earl Fink, brother-in-law of the bride. Little Grace Lou Buntin niece of the bride and Marlys Larson, niece of the groom, were flower girls carrying baskets of sweet peas of many colors.

A reception followed the ceremony at the beautiful Cray mansion. Mrs. Edward Foeltz, of Rosholt, SD., and Mrs. Earl Fink, of So. St. Paul, MN., sister of the bride acted as hostesses, Miss Jessie Cray and Mrs. Frank Buntin, sister of the bride of Minneapolis, were in the receiving line. They wore white gowns.

Miss Minnie Bellin is a graduate of the Hankinson High School and is well known around this vicinity. Mr. Larson attended the Univ. of Minnesota. He is at present an accountant with a drug firm in Minneapolis. They left on a wedding trip in Northern Wisconsin and will be at home after August 10th at 2749 10th Ave. So., of Minneapolis. The bride wore a tan and brown ensemble with white accessories.

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August 17, 1939

#### WEDDING BELLS UNITE COUPLES

## Anderson - McShane

An attractive wedding took place Thursday, August 24th, at 3 o'clock in the Congregational Church when Miss Grace LaVerne McShane, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence McShane, of White Rock, SD., was united in marriage to Mr. Arthur W. Anderson, of Hankinson. Rev. W. Osborn officiated at the lovely single ring ceremony.

The bride entered the church to the strains of the Bridal March played by Mrs. George Schuett. She wore a white satin gown fashioned with a full skirt with a slight train and long sleeves, puffed at the shoulders. She completed her costume with a flowing silk tulle veil edged in lace. She carried a bridal bouquet.

Miss Helen Anderson sang "I Love You Truly" during the ceremony. Doris Jane Mourer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Mourer, was glower girl. She wore a white taffeta dress. Mr. Harley Anderson was his brother's best man.

A reception was held immediately following the ceremony at the bride's home. Mr. and Mrs. Anderson left on a honeymoon to points in Minnesota and Iowa. They will make their home on a farm near the groom's home.

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August 24, 1939

## MOURER - SWENSON

Cleon N. Mourer, a former resident of Hankinson, now of Pocotello, ID., was united in marriage to Miss Florence R. Swenson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Swenson, Registrar of Deeds of Burleigh County, August 14th in Minneapolis, MN. The ceremony took place at the J. L. Urquhart home, 5441 Columbus Ave., with Rev. M. H. Sand, Lutheran Minister officiating.

The bride was charmingly attired in a gown of blue chiffon with matching accessories.

She carried a bouquet of Talisman roses. The bride's only attendant was Mrs. J. D. Urquhart, who wore a pink lace gown and also carried a bouquet of Talisman roses. J. D. Urquhart was Mr. Mourer's bestman and only attendant.

Mr. and Mrs. Mourer are on a trip in northern Minnesota. They will be at home at Pocotello, ID., where Mr. Mourer is district manager of the Curtis Publishing Co. Mr. Mourer is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Mourer, who are now in California.

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August 24, 1939

## FOUR WEDDINGS ARE SOLEMNIZED

## Krump - Buckhouse

Something old, something new, something borrowed and something blue was used by Miss Angeline Helen Krump, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Krump, at her marriage Monday to Mr. Albert Buckhaus, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. Buckhaus.

The wedding which was lovely and simple took place at St. Philip's Parish house with Father Studnicka officiating. The double ring ceremony was used. The bride was charming in a street length gown of steel blue crepe silk, princess styled, fashioned with a bustle. She wore a corsage of roses and lilies-of-the valley. Allen Buckhaus was bestman for his brother.

## KRUMP - SCHILTZ

Miss Marie M. Krump, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Krump, became the bride of Louis J. Schiltz, son of Mrs. John Schiltz, Wednesday morning at St. Anthony's Church in Fairmount. Fr. Bieren's officiated at the double ring ceremony.

The bride was attired in a floor length gown of white satin, completing her costume with a long trailing veil and a bouquet of pink roses. Doris Krump, Evelyn Eichhorn, and Elizabeth Boll attended the bride. Doris wore a romance aqua moire taffeta gown, Evelyn Eichhorn rose taffeta gown and Elizabeth wore an orchid taffeta gown. They all carried bouquets of gladiolas.

Joseph Krump, Joe Wieser and Fred Meyer attended the groom. Betty Lou Krump, sister of the bride was flower girl. She was dressed in yellow organdy and carried a bouquet of flowers. Ervin Eichhorn was ring bearer.

Following the ceremony a wedding dinner was served at the bride's home for immediate relatives. A large three layer wedding cake was the center attraction.

Mr. and Mrs. Schiltz left for a short wedding trip to western North Dakota. They will make their home in Hankinson.

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#### WINEFELDT - MOHS

Tuesday night at 10 o'clock at St. John's Lutheran Church was the scene of the marriage of Miss Helen Winefeldt, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Winefeldt, to Henry Mohs, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Mohs, of Tyler, Rev. Schumacher officiated. Only immediate rel-

atives were present.

The bride was attired in a blue silk dress and she wore white accessories. Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Mohs were the couples only attendants.

Mr. and Mrs. Mohs will make their home on a farm near Tyler. A wedding dance will be held at Great Bend Saturday.

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September 7, 1939

#### RICHIED - ZWACK

NEW EFFINGTON....A quiet wedding took place at the home of Rev. Dreyer on Sunday evening as Milton Haaland and Miss Agnes Stave were united in marriage. Witnesses were Bennie Stave and Norma Haaland.

LAMARS....A very pretty wedding took place Saturday in the Fairmount Methodist Church. Mrs. Myrtle Schutt became the bride of Mr. Orval Krueschke, of Breckenridge. Only the immediate families and a few close friends were invited. A lovely wedding dinner was served at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Osborn.

The couple left for a week's trip to points of interest in Minnesota. On their return they will live on a farm east of Breckenridge.

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September 14, 1939

## BRESNEHAN - MARQUETTE

Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock a pretty wedding was solemnized at the Immanuel Lutheran Church near Fairmount when Miss Mayme Bresnehan, daughter of Mrs Martina Bresnehan, became the bride of Herbert Marquette, son of Mr. Paul Marquette, of near Fairmount. Rev. John Zimmerman officiated.

The bride was attired in a white satin gown that featured an alecon lace jacket with long sleeves. She completed her costume with a finger tip veil of illusion net and a bouquet of bridal roses and anemons. Miss Ella Marquette, sister of the groom, was the bridesmaid. She wore a pink net gown. It had puffed sleeves and satin inserts at intervals. Elmer Bresnehan, brother of the bride was best man for the groom.

Immediately following the ceremony a wedding dinner was served to the bridal party and relatives and friends at the bride's home.

The happy couple spent a short honeymoon at Wheaton, MN. Mrs. Marquette wore wine crepe silk with wine accessories for travel. They will make their home in Fairmount.

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September 14, 1939

## EHR - CHAMBERLIN

Dorothy Ehr, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Ehr, former Hankinson residents, and Harold C. Chamberlin, of Hawkeye, IA., were married Monday at 1 o'clock PM., at St. John's Rectory by Rev. N. J. Lentz. They were attended by the bride's sister, Mrs. Josephine Ehr Thompson and Robert Tabor.

The bride is a graduate of State Teacher's College of Valley City, ND., and has been a teacher in the Black Hawk schools. For the past year she has been doing secretarial work.

The groom has a Bachelor of Science degree from Iowa State College at Ames, IA. At present he is employed in the office's of the Engineering Department at the John Deere Tractor Company.

The couple left for a trip to New Orleans via the Ozark Mountains.

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September 14, 1939

MEYER - NAVRATIL

A very beautiful church wedding took place when Miss Ethel Meyer, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Meyer, of Hankinson, ND., became the bride of Leo Navratil, son of Mr. and Mrs. Leopold Navratil, of New Effington, SD. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Eyrich Tuesday, September 12th, in the Emmanuel Evangelical Church in Hankinson.

The bridal party entered as the Lohengrin's Wedding March was being played by Faith Eyrich. The bride wore a beautiful gown of ankle length white satin and lace bolero, a finger tip veil with halo and carried a bouquet of red roses and white asters and wore her mother's gold locket which she wore when she was married. Sisters of the groom, Miss Mayme and Agnes Navratil, acted as the bridesmaids. Miss Mayme Navratil wore a yellow ankle length Marquisette over taffeta. Miss Agnes Navratil was attired in an aqua blue ankle length gown of Marquisette over taffeta. Their ornaments were tiny gold crosses and they carried bouquets of mixed flowers. Mr. Vern Meyer, a brother of the bride and Joe Navratil, a brother of the groom, were the groom's attendents. The bride's mother wore wine crepe with rust accessories. The mother of the groom was attired in black crepe with matching accessories.

A lovely 5 o'clock wedding dinner was held at the home of the bride's parents for 50 guests. The decorations were carried in aqua blue and yellow. A three tier wedding cake was in the center of the bride's table.

In the evening a wedding dance was given at the White Eagle Ballroom. The young people intend to make their home in the New Effington community.

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September 14, 1939

## RICHIED - ZWACK

The St. Philip's Catholic Church was the scene of a pretty wedding, Thursday morning at 7 o'clock, when Miss Regina Richied, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Martin Richied, was united in Holy Wedlock to Mr. Alphonse Zwack, son of Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Zwack, of Wadena, MN. Rev. Joseph F. Studnicka performed the ceremony.

Miss Lillian Richied, sister of the bride acted as bridesmaid and Walter Zwack was bestman for his brother. The bride was attired in a dusty pink crepe gown fashioned with a gorgetta coat. She wore white accessories and a corsage of Johanna Hill roses, sweet peas and feverfews. She carried the handkerchief her mother carried at her wedding.

The bridesmaid wore a dusty rose crepe silk dress with white accessories. She wore a corsage of Johanna Hill roses and sweet peas.

At noon a wedding dinner was served for immediate relatives at the bride's home. The

center attraction was a four tier wedding cake topped with a miniature bride and groom.

Mr. and Mrs. Zwack will make their home at Wadena, MN., where the groom is employed. Out of town guests were Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Zwack and son, Mr. Daniel Howard and Mr. and Mrs. Richard Carlson, of Wadena, MN.

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September 14, 1939

#### SCHELLER - BOELKE

St. Philip's Church was the scene of a pretty wedding Tuesday morning at 9:30 when Miss Frances Scheller, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Scheller became the bride of Cyril Boelke, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Boelke of near Great Bend, Fr. Studnicka officiated.

The bride wore a princess style gown of white slipper satin. It featured a lace yoke and long sleeves. She wore a long flowing tulle veil edged in lace and carried a bouquet of yellow roses.

Miss Luella Hermes, Tyler and Mrs. Stanley Mac Queen were maid of honor and matron of honor. Miss Hermes wore a peach marquisette gown and Mrs. Mac Queen wore a pale green marquisette gown. Both carried roses. Gerald Boelke and Leo Scheller attended the groom.

A wedding dinner was served the bridal party and relatives at the bride's home. A lovely wedding cake was the center attraction. The home was decorated in the bride's chosen colors, blue, peach and white.

Mr. and Mrs. Boelke will make their home at the Robert Boelke home.

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September 21, 1939

#### HESS - TIX

The marriage of Miss Wilma Hess and Mr. George Tix, took place on September 15th at the Congregational Church at 3 o'clock with Rev. Osborn officiating at the marriage service.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hess and the groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Tix.

The bride wore a teal blue street length dress with navy blue accessories. She wore a corsage of roses, astors and lilies of the valley. Marie Tix, sister of the groom, attended the bride. She wore an Old Rose taffeta, street length dress with black accessories. She also wore a corsage of roses, lilies of the valley and astors.

Donald Hess, brother of the bride was bestman.

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September 21, 1939

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Buckhaus and Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Backhaus motored to Garfield, MN., Wednesday to attend the wedding of Ted Zastro and Myrtle Schulkie at the Leaf Valley Lutheran Church. They returned to their home this morning.

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September 21, 1939

LAMARS....The wedding of Leonard Osborne and Miss Clara Stelton was solemnized Sunday at 3 o'clock in the Methodist Church in Rosholt, by Rev. Hoyer

The bridal couple were attended by Miss Fern Osborne, sister of the groom, as brides-maid and Mr. Roy Stelton, brother of the bride. Miss Sylvia Stavig sang, "At Dawning" and "I Love You Truly" accompanied at the piano by Miss Marion Cornelius.

The church was beautifully decorated in pink and white with bouquets of garden flowers. The bride wore a gown of pink satin and carried a bouquet of pink roses and ferns. She entered the church with her father and was met at the altar by the groom, who wore a dark suit.

A reception, for the immediate families, was held in the church basement, following the ceremony. The young couple left for a short trip thru the Black Hills and will reside on a farm near Rosholt where they will be at home to their many friends.

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September 28, 1939

FAIRMOUNT....A pretty fall wedding was solemnized last Thursday afternoon at the home of Mr. and Mrs. August Weinkauf near Fairmount, ND., when their daughter, Lucille, became the bride of Marvin Propp, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Propp.

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September 28, 1939

#### STOLTENOW - SCHULZ

A very pretty wedding was solemnized Sunday morning when Miss Bessie Stoltenow, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Stoltenow, of Tyler, and Oliver Schulz, son of Mrs. Ed. Loll, of Summit Township, were joined in wedlock at a 9 o'clock ceremony performed by Rev. Hoy in the Evangelical Church at Great Bend.

The bridal party entered the church to the strains of Mendelssohn's Wedding March which was played by the bride's cousin, Mrs. Waldemar Stoltenow. Attending the bridal couple were Miss Lola and Florence Stoltenow, sisters of the bride and Luella Loll, half-sister of the groom and Elmer and Lloyd Loll and Waldemar Stoltenow. Little Patricia Sedler, niece of the bride, was flower girl and James Schulz, nephew of the groom, as ring bearer. The wedding anthem was sung by Dr. C. B. Bateman and Donna Forkner, as pianist.

For her wedding gown the bride wore a blue satin dress with veil and accessories to match. Her flowers were arranged in a bridal bouquet of pink roses. The bride's attendants wore gowns of blue, rose and peach silk. Following the ceremony a wedding dinner was served at the home of the bride to a few relatives.

Both the bride and groom have been life long residents of this community and have a host of friends who extend congratulations and wish for them happiness.

Mr. and Mrs. Schulz will make their home on the Ed. Loll farm, southeast of Great Bend. In the afternoon a large crowd gathered at the Stoltenow home and gave a miscellaneous shower for the bridal couple. They received many beautiful gifts.

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September 28, 1939

## BERNDT - MOORE

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Berndt announce the marriage of their daughter, Margaret, to Mr. Joe E. Moore, of the S. S. Idaho at Long Beach, CA. The marriage took place September 20th.

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September 28, 1939

#### SCHULTZ - PETTERSON

June Schultz, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Carl H. Schultz, of New Effington and Nils E. Petterson, son of Mrs. A. C. Petterson, of Hankinson, were united in marriage at the home

of the bride's parents Tuesday, Sept. 26th at 2 PM., Rev. Falk, of Rosholt officiating.

The bride wore a white satin gown with a lovely white tulle veil. She carried white carnations. Doris Schultz, sister of the bride, was maid of honor. She wore a peach celonses gown with blue ribbon trimming and her flowers were pink astors. Nina Petterson, sister of the groom, was bridesmaid. Ralph Petterson and Herbert Schultz attended the groom.

A reception was held following the ceremony. About 80 relatives were present.

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September 28, 1939

HAMMER....Miss Audrey Gleason, the oldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Gleason, and Melvin Schrader, the only son of Mr. and Mrs. William Schrader, were married Saturday afternoon in Aberdeen.

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September 28, 1939

#### RENGSTORF - HANSEN

The marriage of Walter Rengstorf and Irene Hansen took place Thursday evening, Sept. 14th, at 8 PM in St. Peter's Lutheran Church in Minneapolis, MN. The marriage ceremony was performed by Rev. J. H. Rengstorf, of Great Bend, ND., father of the groom.

The bride was attended by Elsie Rengstorf, sister of the groom, who acted as maid of honor and Marlene Hunt and Lois Hansen, nieces of the bride, who acted as bridesmaids. Wayne Hansen, nephew of the bride was ring bearer and Jacequelin Wallen, niece of the bride was flower girl. Rev. O. H. Markgraf, of Granite Falls, MN., and Wallace, nephew of the bride, served as ushers, and Victor Rengstorf, brother of the groom was best man.

A reception followed in the church basement immediately following the ceremony for the relatives and invited guests.

September 28, 1939

## MILBRANDT - MEDENWALDT

Miss Winifred Milbrandt, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Milbrandt, became the bride of Norman Medenwaldt, son of Mr. and Mrs. Otto Medenwaldt, Saturday. The ceremony took place in the Lutheran parsonage at 8 o'clock in the evening with Rev. J. P. Klausler officiating. Stella Medenwaldt and Orin Medenwaldt attended the couple. Mr. and Mrs. Medenwaldt will make their home on a farm north of Hankinson.

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October 12, 1939

NEW EFFINGTON....Miss Luella Stowe and Henry Knutson were united in marriage on Tuesday afternoon at Wheaton. The community extends congratulations.

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October 12, 1939

## MEDENWALDT - ZIEGELMAN

Rudolph Medenwaldt, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Medenwaldt, was united in marriage to Miss Linda Ziegelman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ziegelman, of Garfield, MN., at the Lutheran Church in Garfield, Thursday. Jeanette Jasmer, of Hankinson, and Armenia Ziegelman attended the bride and Roland Medenwaldt, of Hankinson, and Harry Ziegelman attended the groom.

Mr. and Mrs. Medenwaldt are making their home in Garfield. Those who attended the wedding from Hankinson were: Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hartleben, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Roeder, Mr.

and Mrs. Fred Roeder, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Roeder, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Medenwaldt, Mr. and Mrs. Gust Muehler, Mrs. Will Muehler, Mr. and Mrs. August Medenwaldt, Mr. and Mrs. Gust Medenwaldt and Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Jasmer.

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October 19, 1939

## WALTER MAHLER MARRIED AT SO. ST. PAUL, OCT. 3rd

FAIRMOUNT....Miss Edna Sommer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. August Sommer, of Lake City, became the bride of Walter Mahler, of So. St. Paul, at a ceremony at the Sommer home Tuesday, October 3rd. Mr. Mahler is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Mahler, of Fairmount, ND.

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October 19, 1939

LIDGERWOOD....Mr. and Mrs. Carl Frolund motored to Fargo Friday to attend the wedding of their son, Kenneth Frolund, to Miss Carol Jones, of Fargo.

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October 19, 1939

NEW EFFINGTON....A pretty wedding took place at the home of Rev. Dreyers, Saturday at 1 PM., when Jeanette Schultz became the wife of Mr. Earl Buckman. Miss Hazel Schultz and Mr. Lawrence Broz were witnesses.

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October 19, 1939

#### SCHUBERT - STOLTENOW

Sunday, October 22nd, was the day chosen for the marriage of Miss Ruth Schubert, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Schubert, to Leonard Stoltenow, son of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Stoltenow, of Great Bend. That day was also the wedding anniversary of the bride's parents. The wedding took place at Belford Lutheran Church with Rev. Cordts officiating.

The bride was attended by her cousin, Viola Gaedcke and by the groom's sister, Ruby. Clarence Stoletnow and Elroy Schubert attended the groom.

The bride was attired in a gown of white satin, princess styled with long sleeves and a long train. She wore an illusion full-length veil caught by a coronet. She carried roses and lilies of the valley. Miss Gaedcke wore an aqua blue taffeta gown, featuring a bolero jacket. Miss Stoltenow wore a gown of old rose taffeta, also featuring a bolero. They carried bouquets of carnations. Mrs. Cordts played the nuptial music.

Following the ceremony a reception was held at the bride's home, which was decorated in blue, rose and white. The center attraction was a lovely wedding cake.

Mr. and Mrs. Stoltenow will leave next month for Chula Vista, CA., where they will spend an indefinate time with Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Buck (nee Evelyn Schubert.)

Out of town guests at the wedding were: the bride's Grandfather Schubert, Mr. H. Velhalthmy and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Velhalthmy and Kenneth, all of Cedar Berg, WI.

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October 26, 1939

NEW EFFINGTON....Mrs. Orlando Bjork, Mrs. Nels Stovern and Miss Iona Teare attended a parcel shower on Mrs. Roy Sheldon (nee Gretchen Fuller) at the Carl Dravland home at Rosholt, Friday evening.

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## HERDING - BACH

The St. Philip's Church was the scene of a pretty wedding Tuesday morning at 9 o'clock

when Miss Clara Herding, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Herding, of this city, became the bride of Lawrence Bach, son of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Bach, of Fairmount. Rev. Father Studnicka officiated.

The bride wore a styled gown of white satin. It featured a lace yoke and long sleeves with a long glowing veil, trimmed in pearls, and edged in lace. Her bouquet was roses.

Miss Susanna Bach, sister of the groom, and Miss Beatrice Herding, sister of the bride, were maids of honor. Miss Bach wore a rose taffeta gown and Miss Herding wore a dark rose taffeta gown. Both carried a bouquet of carnations. Louis Connolly, friend of the groom, and Louis Herding, brother of the bride, attended the groom.

After the ceremony a wedding dinner was served at the bride's parents home. A wedding cake provided a lovely table decoration.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Bach have a host of friends who extend congratulations and best wishes for a long and happy wedded life.

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October 26, 1939

NEW EFFINGTON....Mr. and Mrs. Nels Pederson, newlyweds, were the honored guests at a miscellaneous shower at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Schultz, northeast of New Effington, Sunday afternoon.

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October 26, 1939

#### SECRET MARRIAGE IS ANNOUNCED

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Albers announce the marriage of their daughter, Beatrice, to Mr. W. O. Shirley, of Valley City, which occurred in May at Valley City.

Mrs. Shirley has been employed in Valley City the past two years. She is a graduate of the Hankinson High School.

Mr. and Mrs. Shirley will make their home in Valley City, where Mr. Shirley is employed. Best wishes are extended the couple.

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November 2, 1939

## HILL - PAYNE

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Payne received the news by telephone of the marriage of their son, Floyd, to Miss Betty Hill, of San Francisco, Saturday evening at 8 o'clock, at San Francisco.

Floyd is employed in the Coca-Cola Plant in San Francisco. He is a graduate of the local High School and has been working in California the past three years. Mr. and Mrs. Payne will make their home at 494 Patt St., San Francisco, CA.

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November 2, 1939

NEW EFFINGTON....A parcel shower was given in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Brustrum (nee Janette Schultz) at the Albert Schultz farm Sunday. The received many useful gifts.

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November 09, 1939

#### ENGLEKING - HEGGEN

William Engleking, of Cut Bank, MT., son of Mr. and Mrs. August Engleking, and Miss Josephine Heggen, of Kremlin, MT., were united in Holy Matrimony at Kremlin, Thursday, Nov. 2nd. Mr. and Mrs. Engleking arrived here Saturday and will spend a month vising relatives here before returning to Montana.

November 9, 1939

#### PAULSON - LINGEN

A beautiful wedding occurred at St. Peter and Paul's Church in Mantador, Wednesday, when Miss Kathryn Lingen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Lingen, of Mantador, was united in holy matrimony to Mr. Arthur Paulson, of Niagara, Fr. Schneider officiating. Mr. and Mrs. Herb Goerger, of Mantador, attended the couple.

The bride was gowned in a white chiffon velvet dress and wore a beautiful corsage of roses. She wore a white tulle veil. Mrs. Goerger wore a wine velvet gown with wine accessories. Little Eleanor Heitkamp, niece of the bride was train bearer. Following the ceremony a reception was held at the bride's home.

Mr. and Mrs. Paulson will make their home in Niagara, ND.

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November 16, 1939

Word has been received that Judith Medenwaldt, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Otto Medenwaldt, was married in Minneapolis last week.

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November 16, 1939

#### BOMMERSBACH - GABBERT

Miss Irene Bommersbach, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Anton Bommersbach, was united in marriage to Mr. Albert H. Gabbert, son of August Gabbert, Wednesday afternoon. The ceremony took place at the Wahpeton Court House.

The bride was attended by the groom's sister, Miss Elsie Gabbert and the groom was attended by his brother, Alfred. The bride was attired in a street length frock of grape wine. She carried a bouquet of roses. The bridesmaid wore an aqua blue street length dress and carried a bouquet of pink and white carnations.

Following the ceremony a reception was held at the groom's home for immediate relatives and Mr. and Mrs. Gust Schultz and Mr. and Mrs. George Schultz. The center attraction was a lovely wedding cake baked by the bridesmaid. Mr. and Mrs. Gabbert will make their home with the groom's father.

November 16, 1939

Emmanuel Gabbert, of Chester, MT., and Edward Gabbert and L. Wolfe, of Wood Lake, arrived this week to attend the two former's brother's wedding, Albert Gabbert to Irene \* \* \* \* \* \* \* \* \* Bommersbach. November 16, 1939

## AADLAND - SMITH

A quiet wedding took place at the Lutheran Free Church parsonage on Thursday afternoon, when Miss Myrtle Aadland became the wife of Mr. Smith of Zohl, ND. Mrs. Smith is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Syver Aadland, of north of Hammer. Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Aadland were the witnesses. ... NEW EFFINGTON....

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November 16, 1939

## CAMPBELL - BERTELSON

FAIRMOUNT....On Monday morning, Nov. 6th, at 9 o'clock, Miss Catherine Campbell, the second daughter of Mr. Ed. Campbell, of Earlville, IL., became the bride of Jens Bertelson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Bertelson, of Fairmount. The wedding took place in the St. Anth-\* \* \* \* \* \* \* \* \* ony Church. November 16, 1939

#### WEDDINGS

Lester Vedder, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Vedder, and Helen Novak, were united in marriage at the Em. Evangelical Church, Wednesday morning at 10 o'clock, Rev. O. A. Eyrich conducting the services. Witnesses were Carleton Vedder and Emily Novak, brother and sister of the bride and groom.

The newlyweds will reside with the groom's parents temporarily, and will then move to their own farm to make their home.

November 23, 1939

GREAT BEND....Miss Mary Zupon, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Anton Zupon, and Ernest Gast, of Tyler, were united in marriage November 7th, at the rectory of St. Peter and Paul's Church. Rev. J. J. Stempel officiated. Attending the couple were Miss Kathryn Zupon, sister of the bride, and Alfred Gast, brother of the bridegroom.

A wedding dance was held at Great Bend Tuesday night.

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November 23, 1939

VICTOR....Miss Ella Vohnson, formerly of Fairmount, ND., and James H. Ryder were married at the Lutheran Church in Oakland, CA., on Oct. 18th.

Miss Ella Vohnson is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Vohnson of Canby, OR., and James H. Ryder is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Ryder of Rosholt, SD.

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November 23, 1939

## MEDENWALDT - RICH

Arthur H. Medenwaldt, son of Mr. and Mrs. Otto Medenwaldt and Beatrice Rich, daughter of of Mrs. Emil Rich, of the White Rock route, were married at the Lutheran Church on Tuesday afternoon. Attendants were Woodrow Medenwaldt and Hazel Rich.

They will make their home with his parents temporarily.

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November 30, 1939

# DOUBLE WEDDING MANTADOR COUPLE

Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Duwenhoegger and daughter, Mrs. Clarence Froleck and son, Rudolph, left for Sioux Falls, SD., and from there to LaMars, IA. There they attended the double wedding of their sons, Albert and Carl. Albert Duwenhoegger married Miss Elaine Hiesel and Carl Duwenhoegger married Miss Victorene Hiesel. The bride's are sisters. The weddings took place Nov. 28th at the Catholic Church at LaMars. Friends extend heartiest congratulations to the newlyweds.

The Duwenhoeggers will visit relatives and friends at different points in Minnesota before returning to their home.

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November 30, 1939

## WEDDING DANCE

A large number of people attended the wedding dance of Frances Theede and Roy Mitchell, Wednesday evening. They received many beautiful gifts.

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November 30, 1939

GORDON - EGGERT

Announcement of the marriage of Miss Esther Eggert, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert

Eggert, of Valley City, and Mr. Walter Gordon, son of Mrs. Martha Gordon, of Tyler, ND. The service was solemnized Wednesday at 6 o'clock in the home of Rev. J. P. Klausler, with Avis Eggert, sister of the bride, and Mr. Milton Bellin, of Hankinson, the attendants.

After the ceremony the bridal group was entertained at dinner at the home of Miss Effie Ponath, where Mrs. Gordon has made her home the past year while teaching the Branden-burg School No. 4.

After a short visit at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon will make their home at Tyler, ND.

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## WEDDING KEPT SECRET SINCE JULY ANNOUNCED

Donald Carlton, of Valley City, spent the week-end at the Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Weston home....it isn't news, because Donald has spent practically every week-end here since entering Teachers College, visiting his wife, Evelyn.

The young couple have announced their marriage which was solemnized in Sioux Falls, SD., on July 8th, near the former home of the bride. The ceremony was performed in the Methodist parsonage, by Rev. R. N. Sherwood. Announcements of the wedding were mailed this week.

The couple plan to make their home in Valley City in the near future. The groom is a son of Mr. A. Carlton, of Fordville, and the bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Weston, of Hankinson. Both are graduates of the Hankinson High School. Best wishes and good luck is the sincere wish to this young couple.

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December 7, 1939

FAIRMOUNT....A miscellaneous bridal shower was given at the home of Mrs. S. J. Bernard, Monday afternoon in honor of Edna Schmit, who became the bride of Floyd Geiser, Wednesday morning. She was the recipient of a large number of beautiful and practical gifts.

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December 7, 1939

## WIRTH - TATE

Word has been received in Hankinson telling of the marriage of Miss Florence Wirth, of Shawnee, OK., on Dec. 30th, to Mr. Edgar Tate. They are making their home at Maud, OK. Mrs. Tate is a graduate of Hankinson High School. They moved away about 15 years ago.

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January 11, 1940

#### MEYER - WOLLITZ

Florence Meyer, of Hillhead, SD., was married to Wesley Wollitz, of Lidgerwood on Wednesday, Jan. 10th, at Hillhead, Rev. Cloeter conducting the service. Wesley is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wollitz, of Lidgerwood. The newlyweds will make their home in \* \* \* \* \* \* \* \* \* January 11, 1940 Lidgerwood.

#### OLSON - SCHLEY

A lovely parsonage wedding was performed at the Lutheran Parsonage Wednesday afternoon when Miss Norma Olson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. Olson, of Geneseo, became the bride of Mr. Clarence Schley, son of Mrs. Christ Hornaber, of Browns Valley, Rev. J. P. Klausler officiated.

The bride was attired in a white satin gown featuring a lace jacket fastened down the front with tiny rhinestone buttons. She completed her costume with a fingertip length veil that fell from a coronet of seed pearls. She carried roses. Miss Hazel Knutson, cousin of the bride, was the bride's only attendant, and Dick Schley, brother of the groom was best man.

Mr. and Mrs. Schley will make their home in Browns Valley.

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January 18, 1940

## WEDDING DANCE

LAMARS.... The wedding dance for Mr. and Mrs. John Snyder Friday night at LaMars Hall was attended by a capacity crowd. A large number of beautiful gifts were received by the young couple. They are making their home with the groom's parents at present.

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January 18, 1940

# MEDENWALDT - KJELLRUP

Last Saturday afternoon at 4 o'clock at the Presbyterian parsonage at Sisseton, SD., a pretty wedding took place, which united Mr. Leo Kjellrup and Miss Ardell E. Medenwaldt in holy wedlock. The ceremony was read by Rev. McMartin.

The bride was attended by her cousin, Mrs. Hardy Hammer. Mr. Hardy Hammer attended the groom. The bride was attired in a grape wine dress with accessories to match. groom was attired in a blue suit.

The bride is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Medenwald, of Hankinson, and is a graduate of Hankinson High School, class of 1938. The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Kjellrup, of New Effington, SD., and is employed at Sisseton, SD., where they will reside.

A 6 o'clock wedding dinner was served at the home of the bride's parents. A large number of friends and relatives wish them well on life's journey.

January 25, 1940

## WAWERS - SNYDER

Miss Lora Wawers and John Snyder were quietly married at Campbell, MN., Dec. 29th.

Lora is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wawers of the Fairmount vicinity and John is a
son of Mr. and Mrs. Porter Snyder, of LaMars. Both are popular young people among their
associates and have the well wishes of a host of friends. ....FAIRMOUNT....

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January 25, 1940

BOLDT - HULS

Mr. and Mrs. William Huls, of St. Joseph, MN., announce the engagement of their daughter, Evelyn, to Gerhardt Boldt, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Boldt, formerly residing south of Hankinson, leaving about 8 years ago. The wedding will take place the afternoon of Saturday, February 10th, at the Grace Lutheran Parsonage.

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February 1, 1940

## LIDGERWOOD GIRLS' BETROTHALS ANNOUNCED

Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Bonzer, of Long Beach, CA., have announced the engagements of their daughters, Marguerite and Virginia, this week. They are former residents of Lidgerwood.

Miss Marguerite, who is now visiting her fiance at Norfolk, VA., will be married in June to Ensign Francis Harding Huron, who is attached to the U. S. S. Upshur at Norfolk, VA. Her wedding will take place at the historic chapel at Annapolis with the traditional naval ceremonies.

Miss Virginia, who is now visiting in Honolulu with Miss Charlotte Blair, of Boston and Honolulu, will also have a June wedding. She will be the bride of Ensign Leon William Rogers, who is attached to the U.S.S. Pruitt at Pearl Harbor, Honolulu, Hawaii.

## KUTZER - THOMAS

FAIRMOUNT....In a quiet wedding ceremony performed by Rev. Fr. G. C. Bierens at the Chapel of the Rectory Tuesday morning, Leo Kutzer and Susan Thomas were united in the holy bonds of matrimony. Attending the couple were Mr. and Mrs. Walter Gabbert.

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February 15, 1940

#### HOLST - HANSEN

Mr. and Mrs. John C. Holst received an announcement this week of the marriage of their son, Dennis, to Miss Erma Lucille Hansen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Hansen, of Long Beach, CA. The wedding took place at Yuma, AZ., on Feb. 14th, by Rev. Otto Tietjen at the Lutheran parsonage. The announcement did not come as a complete surprise as the young couple had been engaged for some time. No details of the wedding have been received at this time.

Dennis graduated from the local high school in 1936, and has been employed in Long Beach for the past three years. The newlyweds will make their home in Long Beach.

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February 22, 1940

LEAP YEAR WEDDING

#### LEAP YEAR WEDDING

WAHPETON....Only one marriage license has been issued in Richland County so far during the month of February, 1940, as compared with seven licenses issued in February, 1939. The license this month was issued to Leo Kutzer, of Fairmount, and Susan Thomas, also of Fairmount.

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## PONATH - HAUSCHILD

Word has been received here of the marriage of Elaine Ponath to Herbert L. Hauschild, of Madison, WI., on March 16th. Elaine is the eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Ponath of Madison, WI., formerly of Hankinson.

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March 28, 1940

#### WARD - WEISER

Miss Georgianna Ward, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Ward, became the bride of William Weiser at 9 o'clock, April 9th, at St. Philip's Church with Rev. Schuh officiating.

The bride was charming in a gown of white satin, fashioned on a princess style with long sweetheart sleeves and a long train. She completed her costume with a long trailing white silk tulle veil, which fell from a tierra of rhinestones and seed pearls and wore pink carnations.

Mrs. Aloysius Weiser (Lucille Mahler) was the bride's only attendant. She was attired in a gown of aqua blue net, featuring a bolero. Mr. Aloysius Weiser attended his brother.

A wedding breakfast was served immediate relatives at the bride's home following the ceremony. Mr. and Mrs. Weiser will make their home on a farm in DeVillo Township.

Congratulations and best wishes are extended.

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April 11, 1940

GREAT BEND....Miss Bertha Godejohn, daughter of Mrs. Anna Godejohn, was recently married to Charles Woods, of Lewiston, ID., where Bertha has been employed for a few years.

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May 2, 1940

## WEDDING BELLS

Miss Marian Rackow, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Rackow, of Hankinson, and George A. Skoglund, son of Mr. and Mrs. I. Skoglund, of Rutland, ND., exchanged marriage vows at the Evangelical Lutheran Church in Alexandria, MN., Sunday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Rev. Gustavson, pastor of the church, officiated at the ceremony.

The bridesmaid was Miss Harriet Novak and the best man was Harris Rue. The bride wore an ensemble in blue and white, with matching accessories and had a bridal bouquet. Miss Novak wore a street dress, and also had flowers.

The bride ia a graduate of the Hankinson High School and received her training as beautician at a school in Minneapolis. Mr. Skoglund is a graduate of the Rutland High School and of the commercial department at the Science School.

Mr. and Mrs. Skoglund returned to Wahpeton Tuesday and both will continue with their work in their present places of employment.

May 2, 1940

# BURTON - ZANDER WEDDING JAN. 3rd

The marriage of Miss Francis Burton and Mr. Kay Zander, which took place on January 3rd, 1940, was announced at a party given at the H. G. Worner home Monday evening. The wedding took place in the Presbyterian Church parsonage at Fergus Falls, with Rev. Van Dyker performing the ceremony. Witnesses were Mr. and Mrs. Ted Lein, of Climax, MN.

Mrs. Zander is the daughter of Mrs. Lena Burton, of Moorhead, and has been a teacher here the past ten years. Mr. Zander is the son of Mrs. Carl Zander, and is in charge of Youth Recreational activities for Richland County.

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May 16, 1940

Quite a number of folks from this vicinity attended the wedding dance of Mr. and Mrs. Gillispi, at Rosholt, SD., on Thursday evening.

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May 23, 1940

### SHOWER HELD

A miscellaneous shower was held at the Wm. Meyer home Sunday in honor of Evelyn Boldt and Vern Meyer. A large crowd attended.

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May 23, 1940

Willard Bohn, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. Bohn of Great Bend, and Miss Faye D. Payne, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. Payne of Sanish and Minneapolis, "stole the march" on their friends Tuesday, May 26th, at Norwood, IA., and were united in marriage.

## WEDDING BELLS

Tuesday afternoon at the Emmanuel Evangelical Church, Miss Evelyn Boldt, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Boldt, became the bride of Mr. Vernon Meyer, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Meyer. Rev. O. Eyrich officiated at the single ring ceremony.

The bride was charming in a gown of bouffant white net and wore a full length silk tulle veil. She carried a lovely bridal bouquet. The maid of honor, the bride's sister, Miss Florence Boldt, wore a pink net gown, with a shoulder length maroon veil. Miss Dorothy Boldt, of So. St. Paul, cousin of the bride, wore a pink net gown and a light blue shoulder length veil. They also carried flowers. Olby Meyer attended his brother and Alan Boldt, brother of the bride was an usher.

LAMARS....Miss Helen Engebretson and Mr. George McCarthy, of Detroit Lakes, were married Saturday morning in Fairmount by Father Bierens. A wedding breakfast and reception was held at the home of the bride's parents following the ceremony.

The young couple left for a short trip to Minneapolis and other points. They will

make their home in Detroit Lakes, where Mr. McCarthy is assistant postmaster. A host of friends extend best wishes to the happy couple.

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June 6, 1940

GREAT BEND....A group from here motored to Garfield, MN., to attend a miscellaneous shower at the Frank Ziegelman home in honor of their daughter, Hermina, and Otto Geise. They received many beautiful gifts. The wedding will take place Wednesday evening, June 5th, at the German Lutheran Church, and a reception will be held at the bride's home.

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June 6, 1940

## GREAT BEND COUPLE MARRIED MEMORIAL DAY

Miss Doris Stoltenow, daughter of Mrs. Lena Stoltenow, of Great Bend, became the bride of Mr. Elroy A. Gutzmer, son of Mr. and Mrs. Otto Gutzmer, also of Great Bend, Thursday, May 30th, at 2 PM. The wedding took place at the Rev. R. R. Strutz parsonage with Rev. Strutz performing the double ring ceremony.

Miss Eva Bladow, cousin of the groom, acted as bridesmaid and Mr. Arthur Stoltenow, brother of the bride, acted as the groom's attendant.

The bride was attired in a blue lace street length dress with white accessories. Her flowers were a corsage of roses and lilacs and a head wreath of sweet peas and lilies of the the valley. The groom wore a tailored suit of grey and the best man a tailored suit of greenish blue.

At 6 o'clock a wedding dinner was served to 40 guests at the bride's home. The Misses Elaine Stoltenow, LaVerne Bladow and Viola Gaedcke acted as table waitresses. The table centerpiece was a tiered wedding cake which was baked by the bride's sister, Mrs. Otto Klawitter. The color scheme carried out at the home were streamers of blue and rose crepe paper. Mr. and Mrs. Gutzmer will make their home on a farm near Great Bend.

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June 6, 1940

### MILLER - MEIDE

Miss Georgean Miller, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Mike Miller, became the bride of Mr. Elmer Meide, son of Mr. and Mrs. Dominic Meide, both of Hankinson, ND., at St. Philip's Catholic Church at 6 AM., June 1st, with Rev. Jsoeph Studnicka officiating.

The bride was attired in a street length navy blue mesh, with white accessories. She carried a bouquet of pink carnations. The bridesmaid, Miss Josephine Meide, sister of the groom, wore aqua green, with white accessories. Mr. George Miller, twin brother of the bride, acted as best man.

At 8 AM., a wedding breakfast was served at the home of the bride to the immediate relatives. The color scheme of the room was carried out in orchid and white streamers and orchid and white lilacs.

Out of town guests were Miss Genevieve Miller, who is emplyed in Fargo, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Miller and family, of Lidgerwood, Mr. and Mrs. Emil Jahn and son, of Lidgerwood.

A family dinner was served at the home of the groom on Sunday, after which the couple left for their home at Cayuga, ND., where the groom is employed.

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June 6, 1940

Miss Violet Stahl, west of Victor, and Wilbur Richardson were united in marriage at Wheaton, Tuesday, May 28th, Rev. Falk officiating.

After a short tour they will be on a farm near Rosholt. Miss Stahl resided in Hankinson a year or so ago. .....ROSHOLT REVIEW....

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June 6, 1940

#### WEDDING BELLS

Irene Mauch, of Mantador, and Leo Klosterman, of Mooreton, were joined in Holy Wedlock Wednesday morning at the St. Peter and Paul's Church in Mantador with Father Schneider officiating. The attendants were Irene Klosterman, sister of the groom, and Ed Mauch, brother of the bride. The couple will amke their home in Mooreton.

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#### HUBRIG - MANNOCK

On Wednesday, June 12th, at 2 PM., Mr. Alfred Hubrig and Elaine Mannock, both of this community, were united in Holy Wedlock in the Ev. Lutheran Church, of this city, the Rev. Melchert, of Sisseton, SD., performing the ceremony in the absence of Pastor Klausler, who is attending a conference of Lutheran pastors at Lake Metigoshe, ND.

The wedding was performed with the double ring ceremony, the bride being beautifully attired in a white satin gown trimmed with heavy lace, and the bridesmaid, Mildred Stoltenow, wearing a peach colored chiffon dress with hat to match. Both ladies carried a beautiful bouquet of flowers. Attending the groom was his brother, Earl Hubrig.

After a short wedding trip the happy couple will make their home on a farm near Sonora, where the groom has been working for the past two years.

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June 13, 1940

#### HEITKAMP - SCHLOUGH

Miss Alvina Heitkamp became the bride of Leon Schlough at the St. Peter and Paul's Church in Mantador Tuesday. The couple will make their home in Menominee, where the groom is employed.

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## BRIDAL SHOWER

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Witt and Alfred attended the bridal shower given in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Nietzel at Lidgerwood, Sunday. The young couple received many useful and beautiful presents.

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## BENNETT - JOHNSON

Alvina Bennett, of Sisseton, and Lawrence Johnson, of Hankinson, were married June 8th at 4 o'clock in Sisseton. The attendants to the couple were Mr. and Mrs. Walter Johnson, of Hankinson. The young couple will make their home in Sisseton, where the groom is employed. Many friends in Hankinson wish them the best of luck in their wedded life.

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June 20, 1940

MANTADOR....Before a flower dicked altar in St. Peter and Paul's Church, Miss Philetta Mauch became the bride of Mr. Nick Radovitch, of St. Anthony's Parish, of Mooreton, at a nuptial High Mass, Father Schneider officiating.

Miss Mauch was dressed in a beautiful white satin gown with lace inserts and a long train. Her embroidered net veil fell in a long train. She was attended by her sister, Miss Florence, who wore peach silk crepe with a face veil, Both carried yellow tea rose bouquets. Mr. Radovitch was attended by his brother, Joe.

The parents of Mrs. Radovitch, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Mauch entertained at a wedding dinner for a large group of relatives and friends. Mr. and Mrs. Radovitch entertained at a wedding dance at Mooreton in the evening.

A large number of friends extend congratulations and wish them the best of life.

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June 20, 1940

#### WEDDING DANCE

STILES NEWS....A large number of folks enjoyed the wedding dance for Miss Marie Sestak and Leonard Wacha, both of Lidgerwood, who were married on Saturday. The dance was held at the Z. C. B. J. Hall. Everybody enjoyed a good time.

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June 20, 1940

Miss Elvera Lentz, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hugo Lentz, of Lidgerwood, was united in marriage to Wilbur Kackman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Kackman Thursday afternoon at the Lutheran Church near Lidgerwood. Rev. Cloeter officiated.

The attendants to the bride and groom were Lucinda Lentz, Rueben Pankow, Floyd Kackman and Lorena Kackman. Flower girls were Sharon and Wanda Tiegs, of Hankinson. A reception was held at the bride's home after the ceremony. The couple will make their home in Lidgerwood following a short honeymoon.

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June 27, 1940

### ALTHOFF - MAUCH

A very beautiful wedding took place Tuesday morning at 9 o'clock, at St. Philip's Church, when Miss Rita Althoff became the bride of Mr. Edward Mauch, of Mantador, Fr. Jos. Studnicka officiating. Miss Althoff is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Althoff and Mr. Mauch is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Mauch, of Mantador.

The bride was charmingly attired in a gown of white satin, fashioned on princess lines and featuring leg of mutton sleeves. She completed her costume with a fingertip veil of silk tulle edged in lace, which fell from a tiara of seed pearls. She carried peach roses.

Frances Althoff, the bride's sister, was the only attendant. She wore a gown of peach net with aqua blue velvet trimmings. She wore a net bow in her hair. Bernard Mauch, brother of the groom, was best man. The single ring ceremony was used.

Following the ceremony a reception was held at the bride's home for friends and relatives. A lovely three tier wedding cake was the center attraction. Mr. and Mrs. Mauch will make their home at the groom's parents home. Best wishes are extended the happy couple.

Out of town guests were Mr. and Mrs. Charles Lenz, of Ellsworth, Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Lenz, of Adrian, MI., Mrs. Valentine Lenz, Mary Math and Mildred Lenz, Melva Wagner, all of Ellsworth, Mrs. Louise Niesen, of Dalno, MN., Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Althoff, of Tintah, Mr. and Mrs. Matt, Mr. and Mrs. Tom and Mrs. John Althoff, of Mooreton, Mrs. Emil Jaeger, of Ellendale, ND., and Agnes and Margaret Althoff, of Mooreton.

June 27, 1940

#### WEDDING BELLS

A double wedding was solemnized at Great Bend when Clarence Hoefs and Alma Gehler and Ralph Wurl and Ethel Gehler were married. Another wedding of interest to local people was that of Bud Shea to Kathleen Danober in Omaha, NE. Maynard Bladow and Gladys Nowiz were married in So. St. Paul.

### DOUBLE WEDDING

GEHLER - HOEFS : GEHLER - WURL

A very pretty wedding took place Sunday afternoon at the Trinity Lutheran Church in Great Bend, when the Misses Alma and Ethel Gehler, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Gehler, became the brides of Clarence Hoefs, son of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hoefs, and Ralph Wurl, son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Wurl, of Hankinson at a double marriage service.

The church was beautifully decorated with peonies. The attendants for Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Hoefs were Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Bellin and the attendants for Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Wurl were Theodore Gehler and Arlene Wurl.

The brides were charmingly attired in gowns of white chiffon and wore tip veils with accessories to match. They carried bridal bouquets. The maids of honor wore pink silk gowns with blue shoulder length veils and also carried bouquets.

Mr. and Mrs. George Kath, Mrs. Elmer Stoltenow and Wilbur Bohn sang "Wonderful Love" being accompanied on the organ by Mrs. George Koppelman, who also played the wedding march.

Mr. and Mrs. Wurl will make their home at the Henry Wurl home and Mrs. and Mrs. Hoefs will live at the Herman Gehler home.

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July 4, 1940

#### MARRIED IN GRACE LUTHERAN CHURCH

A wedding was solemnized in the Grace Lutheran Church in So. St. Paul, MN., Sunday June 22nd, in the afternoon when Miss Gladys Howia, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Howia, of St. Paul, and Mr. Maynard Bladow, of 127 - 9th Ave. So., were married. In the sanctuary were placed palms and bouquets of gladiolas in baskets on each side of the altar and bouquets of roses were on the altar. Mrs. Frances Schneider played a program of organ music before and during the ceremony. The service was read by Rev. Arthur Koehler, pastor.

The bride was gowned in white satin with long full sleeves. Her veil hung from a white pearled halo. Her juewlry consisted of a string of pearls, a gift from the bridegroom. She carried a bouquet of bridal roses, sweet peas and baby breath. Mrs. Gairhardt Boldt, of So. St. Paul, was matron of honor and Misses Dorothy Boldt and LaVerne McMarrow of So. St. Paul, were bridesmaids. The flower girl was Lela Mae Helseth and the ring bearer was Richard McMarrow. The matron of honor and bridesmaids were gowned in lace and net dresses of different colors and berets of contrasting colors. They carried bouquets of roses, sweet peas and baby breath. Mr. Gairhardt Boldt, of So. St. Paul, was bestman and ushers were Mr. Earl Swain, of St. Paul, and Mr. Harold Kuehl, of Hankinson.

The supper was at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. Helseth in So. St. Paul and in the evening the reception was at the I. O. O. F. Hall in South Park.

The couple will live at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. Helseth, 127 - 9th Ave. So., until the middle of July.

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#### SHEA - DANOHER

A pretty midsummer wedding took place Monday morning, June 24th, at 8 o'clock at Our Lady's Chapel of St. Cecelia's Cathedral, when Miss Kathleen Danoher, daughter of Mrs. May J. Danoher, became the bride of Attorney James W. Shea, of Omaha, son of Mrs. Madge Brown, of Hankinson. Palms and baskets of yellow gladiola decorated the altar and the Rev. William Conner officiated at the wedding. Organist Mrs. Winifred Traynor-Flanagan softly played the Gounod Processional and Mendelssohn Recessional. Miss Aldine Cristo, friend of the bride, sang a wedding hymn during the ceremony.

The bride wore a lovely gown of white printed organdy cut on princess lines with molded waistline and a very full skirt. Her finger tip white veil of white tulle was caught atop her head by a cluster of stephanotis. She carried a bouquet of white roses and stephanotis. Mrs. Justus E. Meyer, sister of the bride, was bridesmaid. She wore a blue crepe organdy gown cut on princess lines with short puffed sleeves. She wore a small watteau hat of delft blue net and carried a bouquet of small pink tea roses. The groom was attended by his brother, Jerry Shea. Both wore white palm beach suits.

Following the ceremony, breakfast was served at the Sheffield Tea Room to forty guests. A reception was held at the home of the bride's mother following the breakfast. After the reception the couple left by plane for an eastern trip. After July 10th, the couple will make their home at 4014 - Burt St., in Omaha.

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July 4, 1940

FAIRMOUNT....Harold Bertelson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Bertelson, was married to Miss Erene Schave, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Schabel of Wheaton, MN., on Thursday.

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July 4, 1940

#### CHARIVARI

A charivari was given at the Christ Berndt home Monday night for Christ Berndt, Jr., and Dorothy Berndt, who were married that day at a double wedding ceremony.

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July 11, 1940

# BERNDT - ZIERKE : KRUEGER - BERNDT

A double wedding was solemnized at the Congregational Parsonage in Moorhead, Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock when Dorothy Mae Berndt, of Moorhead and Eleanor Krueger, of Frazee, MN., became the brides of Leonard W. Zierke, of Worthington, MN., and Crist M. Berndt, Jr., of Hankinson, ND. Rev. Charles Brewster officiated at the ceremony.

Mr. and Mrs. Zierke left for a trip through Illinois and Michigan before returning to Worthington, at which place they will make their home.

Mr. and Mrs. Berndt will visit points in Minnesota and North Dakota. In the fall they will make their home on a farm in Moran Township, near Hankinson.

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July 11, 1940

### MANY JULY WEDDINGS

### Merrifield - Maas

In a quiet service at 10 o'clock Monday morning at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert A Merrifield, E. Capital Dr., Milwaukee, WI., Miss Alice Elizabeth Merrifield,

became the bride of Arnold Maas, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Maas, of this city.

Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Murphy attended the young couple at the service read by Rev. Roscoe Graham at the Merrifield home. After the service a wedding breakfast was served at the Surf.

Miss Merifield was graduated from Milwaukee-Downer College. She was a former resident of this city and is well known here. The groom is a graduate of the local high school and the State School of Science. The happy couple will make their home in this city in the residence vacated by Mr. and Mrs. Louis Lohr. Both contracting parties are well and favorably known here and have the best wishes of a host of friends.

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July 18, 1940

#### BECKER - ERB

At a wedding beautiful in its simplicity, Miss Viola Erb, duaghter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Erb, of Hankinson, became the bride of Arnold Becker, of Adrian, son of Rev. and Mrs. R. J. Becker, of Wahpeton, ND., Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock in St. John's Lutheran Church.

The bride, on the arm of her father, was preceded to the altar by her bridesmaid, Miss Ruth Becker, sister of the bridegroom. They were met at the altar by the bridegroom and bestman, Harold Erb, brother of the bride. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Becker, father of the bridegroom.

The bride wore a gown of white embroidered chiffon over white satin fashioned with a long train. Her shoulder length veil of white illusion was caught to the head with a pearl tiara. She carried a shower bouquet of Johanna Hill roses and lilies of the valley.

Miss Becker was gowned in a floor length blue net with inserts of blue lace over blue satin. She wore a large picture hat and carried pink roses and blue delphiniums.

After the ceremony a reception was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Erb, of 840 South Main Street, for about 50 members of the immediate families and a few friends. Later Mr. and Mrs. Becker left on a short wedding trip and on their return will be at home temporarily with Mr. and Mrs. Harold Erb.

Mr. Becker is employed at the Gerity-Adrian Manufacturing Company and Mrs. Becker is in the office of the Lenawee County Agriculture Conservation Association.

Mrs. Becker is a graduate from the Hankinson Public School's class of 1935. Her many friends here wish her the best of luck in her wedded life.

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July 18, 1940

## ORVA HENKE IS JUNE BRIDE

HAMMER....On Thursday, June 27th, at 2 o'clock PM., in the Lutheran Church Parsonage, at Fergus Falls, MN., Miss Orva Henke, youngest daughter of Mrs. Louise Henke, became the bride of Chester P. Karlson, son of Mr. and Mrs. August Karlson, of Veblen.

The bride and groom are both well known in this community and for the past months the bride had been employed as a waitress at the West Cafe in Fairmount, ND., where she has a host of friends who wish her and the man of her choice every happiness in life.

Mr. and Mrs. Karlson will be at home after July 4th. They are spending their honeymoon at Minneapolis and other points in the North Star State.  $_{
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### EDNA BENTZ, OF HARVEY, WEDS RUBEN MANTZ

A gown of white chiffon with a full skirt extending into a train was worn by Miss Edna Lucille Bentz, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bentz, of Harvey, for her marriage Sunday, July 14th, to Mr. Rueben R. Mantz, son of Mr. and Mrs. G. G. Mantz, of McClusky. The bride completed her costume with a long, flowing veil of tulle and carried a bouquet of of white roses and lilies of the valley.

The marriage took place at the Methodist Church in Harvey at 7 o'clock. The Rev. J. P. Theiss, of Milwaukee, WI., officiated. The ceremony was performed before an arch covered with roses and decorated at the base with large baskets of mixed garden flowers. Bouquets of poppies and mixed flowers completed the picturesque back ground. For the professional Miss Helen Peterson played Lohengrin's Wedding March. Miss Delores Reiswig, of Bismarck, sang "I Love You Truly," "O Promise Me" and "Because."

The matron-of-honor, Mrs. Henry Sepchenke, of San Francisco, wore a floor length gown of chiffon and lace and she carried pink roses. The bridesmaids, Miss Mae Tebelius, of Minot, and Miss Francis Reiswig, of Harvey, were gowned in blue and yellow net, respectively, over taffeta and carried colonial bouquets. The flower girl, Estelle Wagner, wore white organdy and carried Clarkias and rose petals. The groom's attendants were John Tebellius, Eugene Liebelt and Raymond Held, of Hurdesfield. The groom's mother wore a blue gown and Mrs. Bentz wore a black gown. Both wore corsages of orchids.

A reception was held at the home of the bride's parents. Mr. and Mrs. Mantz spent two weeks on a wedding trip to Salt Lake City, Yellowstone National Park and other points.

Mr. Mantz is manager of the Red Owl Store here. Mrs. Mantz was bookkeeper at the Harvey Machine Co., an organization owned by her father.

The couple have a host of friends who wish them a happy wedded life. They will make their home in the Harden house here.

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July 25, 1940

## HOEFS - WALDEN

Miss Irene Hoefs, of Chicago, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hoefs, of Hankinson, was united in marriage to Harold Walden, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Walden, of Chicago, Saturday, July 20th, in that city.

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July 25, 1940

## WEDDING DANCE

The wedding dance of Mr. and Mrs. Dutch Squawfield in Sonora Saturday evening was well attended. They received many beautiful and useful gifts. ...SONORA....

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August 1, 1940

# BRUMMUND - GINGRICH ANNOUNCE ENGAGEMENT

Mr. and Mrs. John Brummund announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their son, Glenn, to Miss Evelyn Gingrich, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Gingrich, of Hoquiam, WA. The wedding will take place August 10th, at Seattle. Miss Gingrich has for some time been employed as stenographer for the State Farm Insurance Co., in Aberdeen, WA.

Mr. Brummund is a graduate of the Hankinson High School with the class of 1932.

Three years ago he left for Hoquiam and has been employed at the Medenwald Motor Service Garage, owned and operated by his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Madenwald, with whom he also made his home. At present he is employed with the Bigelow Chevrolet Co., at Aberdeen, WA. They will make their home in Aberdeen.

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August 8, 1940

#### WEDDING ANNOUNCED BY DR. TILLISCH

Dr. and Mrs. H. Tillisch, of Wahpeton, announce the marriage of their son, Dr. Clayton Tillisch to Miss Dorothy Fay, of Chicago, IL., on the 10th of February in Indiana.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Tillisch are making their home in Minneapolis where Dr. Tillisch is associated with his uncle, Dr. A. E. Tillisch.

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August 8, 1940

#### BLADOW - ROTH

On June 23rd, Miss Norma Bladow, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Otto Bladow, and Kenneth Roth, son of Mrs. Tillie Roth, became husband and wife in Moorhead, ND., Judge E. U. Wade officiating at the single ring ceremony. The marriage was announced Saturday by the happy couple.

The bride was charmingly attired in a street length gown of heavenly blue lace. She wore white accessories. Miss Betty Rackow, the bride's close friend, was bridesmaid. She wore blue checked silk with blue accessories. John Klein, Jr., now of Mobridge, SD., attended Mr. Roth.

The bride is a graduate of the 1940 class of Hankinson High School and Mr. Roth graduated with the 1939 class of St. Francis Academy. They will make their home in Hankinson where the groom is employed.

Best wishes are extended the couple for a happy wedded life.

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August 22, 1940

# KLAR - VINATIERI

A quiet wedding was solemnized at the Congregational parsonage at Wheaton, MN., August 21st, at 4 o'clock when Adeline Klar, daughter of Wm. Klar, became the bride of V. J. Vinatieri, of Yankton, SD.

The bride was attended by her sister, Mrs. Walter Vogt, of Mankato, MN. The groom's attendant was Eldred Wolfe, of Hankinson.

A dinner was served to the immediate family at the home of the bride's sister, Mrs.

Wm. Riemann.

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## SHOWER HELD

A miscellaneous shower was held Wednesday at the Bladow home in honor of Adeline Krueger and Orin Bladow, who will be married in the near future. The couple received many lovely gifts.

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#### HANKINSON NEWS

#### FORMER RESIDENT DIED TODAY

Mr. E. S. Merrifield, of Ogelvie, MN., died today (Thursday) at a Minneapolis hospital, according to word received by W. G. Merrifield. Deceased was 70 years old.

Mr. Merrifield operated a livery business in Hankinson in the early days, but left here in 1902.

Surviving are his wife and two daughters and two sons. Two brothers H. A. and W. G. Merrified. Mr. and Mrs. Merrifield will attend the funeral.

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August 26, 1937

### LAST RITES FOR JOHN SUTYLA

GENESEO....Funeral services were held at 9 AM Tuesday in St. Martin's Church, Geneseo for John Sutyla, 54, who died at 8 AM August 14th, in the St. Francis Hospital, Breckenridge, following an operation for hernia.

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August 26, 1937

#### FATHER DIED

Mrs. Wm. Hoffman received the sad news that her father had passed away Tuesday. Mrs. Hoffman and daughter Vivian, left Tuesday morning to attend the funeral. They have the sympathy of their friends in the hour of bereavement.

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August 26, 1937

## JOHN BOMMERSBACH DIED SATURDAY

Death came quietly to Mr. John Bommersbach, resident of Hankinson since 1903, and former soldier in the Austrian Army. In 1929, Mr. Bommersbach suffered an attack of heart trouble and although he was up and around he gradually failed in health and death came at 5 o'clock Saturday.

Funeral services were held at St. Philip's Church with Fr. Hart conducting the services on Tuesday morning. A host of friends and relatives attended to pay their last respects to a fine citizen.

#### DERRAL McMORROW DIED

Mrs. E. S. Merrifield, of Ogelvie, and two daughters, Mrs. George Gordon, of Duluth, and Mrs. Iris Tucker and two children of Kalamazoo, MI., stopped here while enroute to

attend the burial of E. S. Merrifield, who was laid to rest beside a daughter who died several years ago in Valley City.

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September 3, 1937

## KRESSIN KILLED BY BOLT OF LIGHTNING

Arthur A. Kressin, 46, prominent Barney farmer, was killed at 9:45 Saturday morning when a bolt of lightning struck him on the check. He was standing upon a bundle team helping with the threshing on the Art Brosowski farm 3½ miles southwest of Barney when the accident occurred. No one saw the bolt of lightning strike Mr. Kressin.

Art Kressin passed away on the way to town for medical treatment. Kressin had been hit on the cheek by the bolt of lightning. It passed through his body to the left pocket of his overall where it came out where a jackknife lay close to the flesh. From there on down to the foot, the lightning ripped open the overall and tore off his shoe.

A daughter, Lucille Kressin, is employed at the Otto Ziegelman home near Great Bend.

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September 2, 1937

#### ATTEND FUNERAL

MANTADOR....Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lugert and Mr. Joseph Lugert, Sr., motored to Wyndmere Tuesday to attend the funeral of Mrs. Lugert's brother, Mr. Elmer Swanson.

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September 2, 1937

# KILLED IN LOGGING CAMP IN WASHINGTON

WYNDMERE....Elmer Swanson, oldest son of Mr. and Mrs. V. J. Swanson, was instantly killed last Thursday afternoon at Colfax, WA., by a falling tree. Mr. Swanson was employed in a logging company there. The body was shipped to Wyndmere.

# WM. BAUMANN DIED FRIDAY

Mr. Wm. F. Baumann died Friday morning at the Breckenridge Hospital, where he was taken two weeks ago for treatment. Funeral services were held in the Congregational Church, Rev. Osborn officiating. Burial was in Lidgerwood.

William Fred Baumann was born on March 20th, 1881, at Forest City, MN. His parents were John J. Baumann, of Alberfelt, Germany and Henrietta Behr, of Thisledorf, Germany. Late in the year of 1881 the family moved to Stiles, ND., where William grew to manhood. On July 4th, 1910, he was united in marriage to Miss Anna C. Matuska, of Lidgerwood, ND. The ceremony took place at Harriet, SD. At that time he was proprietor of a hotel in Poliock, SD. Later he and his family moved to Sheldon, IA., where they lived for 8 years during which time he was employed as a carpenter, mason and salesman.

In 1923 Mr. Baumann and family returned to Lidgerwood where they lived for one year. In 1924 he moved to Hankinson where he lived up to the present time. In Hankinson he was engaged as elevator operator.

Mr. Baumann is survived by his wife and a daughter, Estelle, of Washington, DC., also by 9 brothers. Mr. Baumann was an active member of the Woodman Lodge until a few years ago. He was 56 years, 5 months and 12 days old.

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# DAN R. JONES CALLED IN DEATH

WAHPETON....Dan R. Jones, North Dakota State Representative, prominent Wahpeton Attorney and tax reduction leader for years, died at 11:05 AM., Saturday, the result of an illness which forced him into inactivity at the last session of the State Assembly.

Closely identified with Richland County political life and community progress for a generation, Mr. Jones received statewide recognition in 1933, when he lead the fight for severe curtailment of legislative appropriations.

He was a one-time Republican candidate for governor of North Dakota. He was a kinsman of Lloyd George, war time British premier and his tenacious battle in the '32 session stamped him of the same militant mold as his world known relative.

Funeral services for Mr. Jones were at 2 PM., Wednesday, in the Congregational Church, Rev. J. H. Caskey officiating. Wahpeton business houses remained closed during hours of the funeral. Burial was at Wahpeton.

Dan. R. Jones was born on a farm near Neenah, WI., on Oct. 5th, 1871. He attended the Ripon College where he was a regular on the varsity football team. After working his way through Ripon he attended the Univ. of Minnesota where he completed the law course

He was attracted to North Dakota by his brother, John R. Jones, working for him during summer vacations in the latter's store at Hankinson.

Later he served as Richiand County Deputy Sheriff under another brother, Evan. M. Jones. In 1898 he was admitted to the bar and became a member of the law firm of McCumber, Forbes & Jones. In 1902 Porter J. McCumber was elected to the United States Senate and in 1907 Mr. Jones opened his own law offices, continuing it to the time of his death.

He was married June 7th, 1910, to Miss Ethel Koerner, of Wilkes Barre, PA. There were no children.

Survivors include Mrs. Jones, four brothers, Robert and William at Neenah, John and Ben at Hankinson, and a sister, Mrs. James Novak, of White Rock, SD.

Mr. Jones was stricken with a heart attack last October. Despite his illness he determined to go to the legislative session and was elected in November although he could not carry on an extensive campaign.

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September 9, 1937

# MANTADOR LADY DIED SUDDENLY

This community was grieviously shocked Tuesday when they learned that Mrs. John Mertes died suddenly Tuesday. Mrs. Mertes was busy hanging up clothes when she was stricken fatally.

Funeral services will be held on Friday morning at Sts. Peter and Pauls Church in Mantador with Fr. Schneider officiating.

Deceased is survived by her husband and twelve children. She resided in Mantador.

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September 9, 1937

#### DEATH OF BROTHER

 MANTADOR....The community was sadly shocked Tuesday afternoon to hear that Mrs. John Mertes had passed away.

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# CALLED TO ILLINOIS

W. J. Campbell was called to Carlville, iL., last Saturday to attend the funeral of his brother, Tommie, who died there from injuries received in an accident.

....FAIRMOUNT NEWS....

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September 16, 1937

# DAHLQUIST DIED

# LITTLE ROSSOW CHILD DIED

# ATTEND FUNERAL OF PEOPLE KILLED IN WRECK

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Jasmer, Sr., and Mrs. Harold Voeltz left Wednesday for Alice, ND., where they attended the funeral of Mrs. Charles Jasmers' Sr., cousins, Mr. and Mrs. George Wadeson, who were killed when the car in which they were riding smashed side long into a north bound Great Northern freight on a crossing on U. S. Highway No. 10, south of Casselton. Five were killed in the crash. Thomas Brackin, an indian farm hand was driving. Double funeral services began at 1:30 in Alice for Mr. and Mrs. G. Wadeson.

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September 23, 1937

# WALCOTT MAN DIED

#### NEW EFFINGTON MAN DIED SATURDAY

## MRS. STADSTAD DIED

Mrs. Stadstad died Saturday at New Effington at the home of her daughter, Mrs. C. Monson. She was 85 years old. Funeral services were held on Wednesday.

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October 7, 1937

#### PIONEER DIED

### HOLD WOMAN ON POISONING CHARGES

Trial Against Mrs. Beartric Johnke Postponed for Two Weeks

Mrs. Beatrice Johnke, 41, of 1400 North Concord Street, So. St. Paul, former Hankinson resident, who is charged with the poison murder of her husband, listened with keen interest Monday to defense councils plea for a postponement of the case in So. St. Paul's Municipal Court. The court granted a two week postponement after her attorney had asked for more time to study the case. Mrs. Johnke's husband, Louis, 45, died August 19th. A test revealed poison in the stomach and authorities brought charges against Mrs. Johnke.

Mrs. Johnke, formerly Beatrice Nulph, who grew to womanhood on her father's farm near Mantador, later being married to Mr. Louis Johnke, who farmed near the Nulphs, the ceremony being solemnized in Hankinson where relatives of the Johnke's reside.

## DETECTIVES HERE

Detectives E. J. McAlpine and John Hoy, of So. St. Paul, MN., came to Hankinson Sunday and conducted an investigation seeking evidently to establish the presumption that the poison could have been obtained here. They also visited in Wyndmere and other towns.

Hankinson people are loath to believe this charge filed against Mrs. Johnke, and the filing of charges may be without a fact to support them.

The story, taken from the Minneapolis Journal, reads:

Arsenic found in the stomach of her husband, who died August 19th, brought about the filing of first degree murder charges Saturday against Mrs. Beatrice Johnke, 41, of So. St. Paul.

Dakota County authorities said there were reasons to suspect another man was involved. The man, whose name was withheld was held without charge in the county jail pending investigation of the "love triangle" element of the case.

### DENIES ACCUSATION

Mrs. Johnke had been in Jall since Tuesday, but filing of the charges was delayed until Univ. of Minnesota chemists discovered the polson in the internal organs of the husband, Louis Johnke, about 45, a packing house worker in the Cudahy plant in Newport.

The Johnkes, residing at 1400 North Concord Street, have lived in So. St. Paul four or five years, and have two married daughters.

County Attorney Stassen refused to reveal full details of how suspicion was directed at the woman, but said it was aroused by the fact that doctors were unable to explain the death. Investigation then revealed that the man had begun a series of visits to hospitals last June for recurring cases of what happened to be food poisoning.

#### BECAME ILL AGAIN

He made four visits to hospitals, including West Side General Hospital and St. Luke's Hospital in St. Paul, and each time after a few days' of treatment was sent home. Each time he became ill again within a few days after returning home, and on August 19th, he died. According to the charge against Mrs. Johnke, she administered poison to her husband in food and drink over a period beginning shortly before his first trip to a hospital.

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October 14, 1937

# WM. HOEFT, OF GREAT BEND DIED

Wm. Hoeft, son of Mr. and Mrs. O. Hoeft, of Great Bend, died at a Fergus Falls hospital Monday. Mr. Hoeft was taken ill a week ago and was removed to Breckenridge for treatment. Sunday his condition was reported fair and the community was grieviously shocked to learn of his untimely death.

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## V. F. GRIFFITH KILLED IN CRASH

Word was received in Hankinson Thursday eve that Valmer F. Griffith, who operated the Star Cafe in this city until a month ago, was killed in a car accident near Green Bay, WI., Thursday evening.

Mr. Griffith was driving alone at the time of the crash, according to the Wheaton Gazette, about 3 miles from Green Bay. The train and car reached the crossing at about the same time. The car was struck in the rear, the driver almost avoiding the crash.

Funeral services were conducted at the Swedish Mission Church at Wheaton, Rev. N. G. Malmstedt officiating. The Masonic Lodge also took part in the service.

Deceased is survived by his wife.

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October 21, 1937

### FATAL ACCIDENT

CLAIRE CITY....Christ Langager passed away Saturday after being unconscious since last Wednesday, when he was fatally injured in an automobile accident a few miles east of Veblen on the highway.

The accident occurred last Wednesday. Mr. Langager's truck was hit by an automobile, in which three boys were riding. The truck was badly smashed by the impact and Mr. Langager's body was terribly mutilated. He never regained complete consciousness after the accident, but life existed until Saturday evening.

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October 21, 1937

# WYNDMERE ACCIDENT

WYNDMERE....Funeral services were held Tuesday at 10 AM at the Wyndmere Catholic Church for Francis Frybert, who was fatally injured when he jumped from a combine Thursday and struck a fork standing upright in the field. Mr. Frybert was injured internally and was not thought to be seriously injured until Friday when he was taken to St. Francis

Hospital, Breckenridge, for surgical treatment from which he failed to recover.

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October 21, 1937

Mrs. A. J. Ingerson and Virgie went to Burtrum, MN., to attend the funeral of a 14 year old nephew who died Thursday.

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October 21, 1937

## MOTHER GENERAL OF ST. FRANCIS DIED

On October 15th, Reverand Mother General M. Laurentia, O. S. F., passed away in Germany where she resided, according to word received by Sisters of St. Francis Academy. Her untimely death followed a serious surgical operation.

#### DOG POISONER

Some warped minded individual who would be a half-wit among idiots, is poisoning dogs in Hankinson. The latest dog to die was Fred Radloff's bulldog, who passed away Sunday.

Our vocabulary is too clean to describe the poisoner, and their mind too vacant to understand if we did.

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October 28, 1937

#### BRONZE GRACKLES DIED

FAIRMOUNT....Word was received recently by Father Bierens that three bronzed grackles banded by him in 1934 and 1935 were found dead or were killed this year in Leesburg, Granada and Tribbett, all in the state of Mississippi. Also a robin banded in 1934 at the local station was found dead in New Edinburg, Arkansas.

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October 28, 1937

GREAT BEND....Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Adamson, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Ambach, Mrs. Weiss and Mrs. Bladow motored to Fergus Falls Monday to attend the funeral of Adolph Rose.

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October 28, 1937

## DEATH AGAIN RIDES HIGHWAYS

WAHPETON....Mary Kuila, 19, Royalton, MN., Wahpeton State School of Science student, died at 8 PM., Monday in a Fergus Falls hospital of injuries suffered when the car in which she and six other students and teachers were riding crashed into a ditch near Foxhome, MN. Death resulted from internal hemmorhage.

### INJURED GIRL STILL IN COMA

FERGUS FALLS....Camilla Skramstad, Wahpeton, ND., school teacher, still was unconscious Wednesday night, 66 hours after she was injured in an automobile accident in which seven other persons also were hurt, one fatally.

Genevieve Kulla, Royalton, MN., sister of Mary Kulla, 19, who died, remained in critical condition. She has a fractured neck and suffers body paralysis.

Two other passengers in the car which overturned near Foxhome, MN., Sunday, were improving. They are Theresa Kulla, another sister and Wahpeton school teacher, who left the

hospital Wednesday, and Ida Urstad, Moorhead, also a Wahpeton teacher.

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November 4, 1937

#### MRS. H. O. WENDT DIED THURSDAY

Sorrow was brought to many hearts in this community by the death of Mrs. Herman Wendt who passed away after a lingering illness at the hospital in Wahpeton on Thursday evening of last week.

Erna Elsie Anthia Brummond was the daughter of Mr. William Brummond and his wife Emilie, nee Krueger. She was born on July 18th, 1885, in Ludwigshort, Kreis Regenwalde, Province of Pommeria, Germany. In the spring of 1887 when she was nearly two years old she came to America with her parents. They came at once to Hankinson and since that time her home has been in or near this city. She received her religious education at Emmanuel Evangelical Church and was confirmed by Rev. F. Walther on Palm Sunday, April 3rd, 1898.

On Jan. 3rd, 1907, she was united in marriage with Mr. Herman Wendt. They continued to make their home in Hankinson. To their union were born three sons: Arney of Cody, WY., Raymond and Norman, at home and one daughter, Mildred, also at home.

For the last 28 years Mrs. Wendt was afflicted with a weak heart which caused her more or less suffering and discomfort. The malady which was the actual cause of her death set in about 8 months ago and it was to be seen at once that she was beyond human help. Everything humanly possible was done for her comfort. On Sept. 27th she was taken to the hospital at Wahpeton. There she passed away peacefully at 10 o'clock in the evening of Thursday, Oct. 28th, 1937.

She leaves to mourn, her deeply sorrowing husband, Herman Wendt, her four children, already mentioned, her step-father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Remming, four brothers, Julius and Emil Brummond of Hankinson, William Brummond of Casper, WY., and Anton Brummond of Cody, WY., other more distant relatives and many friends. The sympathy of the community is extended to the bereaved relatives.

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November 4, 1937

# DEMANDS HEARING ON POISON CHARGE

(Minneapolis Tribune)

Mrs. Beatrice Johnke, South St. Paul, held in connection with the death by poison of her husband, Louis, demanded a preliminary examination when arrainged in municipal court Monday on a first degree murder complaint. The examination was set for 2 PM November 10th. Harold E. Stassen, Dakota County Attorney, said he will present evidence in the case to a grand jury on November 8th. The husband died August 19th. Tests at the Univ. of Minnesota revealed poison in the man's stomach. The complaint was signed by Edgar McAlpine, South St. Paul Police Chief.

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November 4, 1937

## MR. ADAM HIPP DIED TUESDAY EVE

A pall of sorrow was cast over this city and the surrounding community by the death of one of our most respected and beloved citizens, Adam Hipp, who passed away Tuesday at the St. Francis Hospital in Breckenridge following a week's illness. Mr. Hipp had been

in apparent good health until Tuesday of last week and had been at his work as local Soo Line flagmaster. He was stricken with pneumonia Tuesday night and on Wednesday was removed to the St. Francis Hospital where he passed to his eternal reward at 9 o'clock Tuesday evening. Wife and eight children were at his bedside at the time of his death.

Mr. Hipp was born in Bruckenthal, Austria, September 8th, 1876, one of a family of six children. He was married in Austria and came to this country in May of 1903 settling here in Hankinson where he has resided ever since. To this first union two children were born, Catherine, Mrs. Ray Mitchell, of Fairmount, and Jacob, of Minneapolis. His wife passed away in 1907. On May 21st, 1908 he was united in marriage to Miss Elizabeth Roth, who survives him. Eight children were born to bless this union. Wendelin, of Evansville, IN., Rose, Mrs. Rupert Goerger, of Wyndmere, Mary, Mrs. Lawrence Haeger, of this city, Joseph, of Chicago, IL., John, Frances, Jerome and Jean, all at home. He is also survived by tweive grandchildren, four brothers and a sister are living in Austria. One sister preceded him in death.

Mr. Hipp was employed by the Soo Line Railway for the past 24 years, the past two years of which were spent as local flagmaster. He was a member of the Brotherhood of Maintenance of Way Employees. He was a faithful member of St. Philip's Catholic Church and was a member of the Men's Catholic Order of Foresters, of which lodge he acted as financial secretary for the past fifteen years.

Funeral services will be held Friday morning at 10 o'clock at St. Philip's Church with Rev. Father Schuh officiating. Pallbearers will be old friends and neighbors, members of the men's Foresters.

Deceased was a kind husband, a devoted father and a man possessed of sterling qualities. He will be greatly missed by all who were privileged to know him. The sympathy of the entire community goes out to the sorrowing family in their time of bereavement.

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November 11, 1937

MANTADOR....Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Thiel, Mrs. Math Thiel attended the funeral of Mr. Math Haas Saturday in Mooreton.

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November 11, 1937

## DEVILLO PIONEER DIED IN MONTANA

## SO. ST. PAUL WOMAN INDICTED FOR MURDER

Mrs. Beatrice Johnke, 41, was indicted Tuesday by a Dakota County Grand Jury on a first degree murder charge in connection with the poison death of her husband, Louis, 45, a Newport packing house worker. Since her arrest October 5th, she steadily denied her guilt. Mrs. Johnke formerly resided in Hankinson.

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November 11, 1937

#### MRS. LENA FAUST DIED ON SUNDAY

Mrs. Lena Faust, for many years a resident of Hankinson, died Sunday night at Aberdeen, SD., where she was visiting with her daughter, Mrs. John Overbust. Death followed several years of falling health.

Funeral services were held at Bristol, SD., on Wednesday.

Lena Wawers was born in Millaville, MN., and was 70 years old at the time of her death. She was united in marriage to Mr. Joe Faust and they went to Bristol, SD., to make their home. Seven children blessed their union. About 18 years ago they moved to Hankinson where they have since resided.

Surviving are her daughters, Mrs. Hubert Herding; Mrs. Geo. Wawers, Douglas, ND.; Mrs. John Overbust, Aberdeen, SD.; Mrs. Olaf Snipstead, Hillstead, MN.; and one son, Peter Faust, of Tyler, ND. Her husband preceded her in death about twenty years ago. Eight brothers and sisters also survive.

Mrs. Faust was a kind Christian woman and a loving mother and her absence will be sorely felt by relatives and friends of this community.

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November 18, 1937

SISSETON....The body of John S. Watson, editor of the Sisseton Standard in 1928, was found on a ranch near Cheyenne Wells, CO., last month, according to the Sisseton Courier. Editor Watson walked out of his office in October of 1928, and until his body was found was never heard of again. His wife, now living in Sisseton identified the body, although only the skeleton remained.

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November 18, 1937

# HURLEY OF SOO KILLED FRIDAY

Frank Hurley, Soo Line employee died from injuries received Friday when he was hit by a mail crane, when pulling into Eden Valley, MN. Mr. Hurley was rushed to a Litchfield Hospital, where he died. Funeral services were held Tuesday.

Mr. Hurley, who formerly worked on the Soo branch out of Hankinson, is survived by a wife and four children residing in Minneapolis.

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November 25, 1937

## JOHN FARHER DIED

Word was received here of the death of Mr. John Farher, who passed away Tuesday at at the Wahpeton Hospital following a stroke. Mr. Farher was a former resident of Mantador.

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November 25, 1937

# EDWARD SARSLAND DIED

## MRS. H. STENSAKER DIED

NEW EFFINGTON....The body of the late Mrs. Hannah Stensaker was brought to New Effington Tuesday from Minneapolis for burial. Mrs. Stensaker had been ill only a few weeks. She entered Fairview Hospital ten days ago and failed to recover from an operation. Until her husband's death in 1923 she resided on a farm near here, and since which time she had operated a boarding house.

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November 25, 1937

## BRECKENRIDGE PIONEER DIED

Mrs. Louise Spreckels received a message Thanksgiving Day that her sister, Mrs. Carl Rossow, of Breckenridge, had passed away Wednesday following a stroke Sunday night, at the age of 88 years and 9 days. Mrs. Rossow is one of the oldest pioneers of Breckenridge, having made her home there for nearly 60 years. Her husband was one of the first employees at the roundhouse when it was but a small shack.

## FUNERAL HELD

# DEATH CALLS PROMINENT CITIZEN

Funeral services will be held at the home Sunday at 1 o'clock and in the Lutheran Church immediately following, for Mr. Alfred Prochnow, who died at the Breckenridge Hospital Wednesday night at 6 o'clock. Rev. Klausler will conduct the services.

Word of the death came as a sad shock to this community, as Mr. Prochnow was in good health until Monday, when he was taken suddenly ill and was removed to the Breckenridge Hospital for treatment, death calling him home two days later.

Alfred Prochnow was born March 9th, 1884, on a farm three miles north of Hankinson. In 1906 he was united in marriage to Elisa Krueger, after which he moved to Greendale, where he developed a fine farm home and continued to reside there until his death.

Word was received yesterday from Veblen that the mother-in-law of Mr. Oscar Prochnow died at her home near Veblen, death following the death of Mr. Alfred Prochnow by thirty minutes. Funeral services will be held Saturday at Rev. Bratley's Lutheran Church near Veblen.

\* \* \* \* \* \* \* \* \* \* December 2, 1937

## ATTEND FUNERAL

Mr. and Mrs. Emil Klawitter and son, Otto, attended the funeral Wednesday of Mrs.

John Anderson, who passed away Monday morning at the home of her son, Percy, at Breckenridge.

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December 2, 1937

## JOHN SCHELLER, SR. DIED TUESDAY MORN

Death called one of Hankinson's prominent citizens to his Heavenly Home Tuesday, Mr. John Scheller, Sr., answering the call after an Illness of only a couple weeks' duration. Although nearly 83 years old, Mr. Scheller had enjoyed extremely good health and news of his death was received with sadness and surprise.

John Scheller, Sr., was born in Bruckenthal, Austria, in 1854, and after attaining manhood, was united in holy wedlock to Margaret Wolf. To this union were born seven children.

In 1900 he immigrated to the United States, coming directly to Hankinson. He was employed by J. R. Jones as waggoner, and later entered the employment of the Soo Line, from which position he retired about twelve years ago.

Surviving are two sons, Rud. F., and Loscoe, and one daughter, Mrs. Ed. Scheller, of Wishek. His wife preceded him in death as dld three children. One brother and a sister residing in Austria also survive.

Funeral services were held at St. Phillips Church, of which he was a faithful member, at 10 o'clock on Thursday morning. Rev. Fr. Schuh conducted the services.

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December 9, 1937

## SISTER OF MR. WIPPERMAN DIED IN WISCONSIN

M. A. Wipperman left today for Shawano, Wi., In answer to a message that his sister, Mrs. Louis Rollman, of that city, had passed away.

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December 9, 1937

# FUNERAL HELD FOR MRS. B. BOELKE

LIDGERWOOD....For many years a resident of Lidgerwood, Mrs. Bertha Boelke, 89 years old, died last Thursday morning in the home of a daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. August Wolter, after a short Illness.

Funeral services were held in Holy Cross Lutheran Church and burial was in Holy Cross Cemetery, with the Rev. Julius Cloeter officiating.

Survivors include Mrs. Wolter, another daughter, Mrs. J. C. Holst, of Hankinson, a son, Henry Boelke, of Wahpeton, 18 grandchildren and nine great-grandchildren.

# JOHN BRONKHURST, OF TYLER, DIED THURSDAY

Funeral services were held from St. John's Lutheran Church for John Bronkhurst, 56, who died at the Wahpeton Hospital, Thursday. Rev. H. Schumacker was in charge. Pallbearers were John Wiebusch, William Tribke, John Daman, H. D. Hauschild, J. D. Holthusen and Dick Holthusen.

The only son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Dave Bronkhurst, who pioneered in the Tyler vicinity

John Bronkhurst was born Feb. 9th, 1881, on the homestead four miles west of the village and spent his boyhood and manhood there.

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December 9, 1937

Mr. W. G. Merrifield returned from Stillwater, MN., last week after having attended the funeral of his niece's husband, Mr. Everett Harsh. Mrs. Harsh was Lucille Kinney before her marriage. Mr. Harsh was ill only a short time. He was 46 years old, a World War Veterand and is survived by his wife and 3 daughters.

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December 9, 1937

#### ATTEND FUNERAL

Mrs. J. B. Goerger and sons, Herbert and Jack returned to their home here after attending the funeral of a brother-in-law of Mrs. Georger's at St. Paul, MN.

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December 9, 1937

#### BROTHER OF MR. JAMES GREENWOOD DIED

Word was received in Hankinson of the death of Lloyd Greenwood, brother of James Greenwood, of this city, Wednesday. Lloyd died in Fergus Falls, Mr. Greenwood owned a bakery and restaurant in Fergus Falls.

He leaves to mourn, his young bride, who is a cousin of Mrs. Donald Brandt, of this city. Mr. and Mrs. Greenwood left today for Fergus Falls.

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December 9, 1937

#### FUNERAL HELD FOR HOHENSTERN CHILD

Funeral services for little 5 months' old Dennis, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hohenstern, was held Wednesday morning at St. Philip's Church. Little Dennis died Monday at the Breckenridge Hospital where he had been ill with pneumonia for a month.

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December 16, 1937

#### LaMARS DEATH

LaMARS....Word was received in this vicinity of the death of Mrs. John Thompson. The Thompson family were residents of LaMars for many years later moving to Fairmount where Mr. Thompson passed away about a year ago. Early last fall Mrs. Thompson was taken to the home of her daughter, Mrs. James Sorensen, at Necedah, Wi., to spend the winter. She had suffered a paralyetic stroke and was partially helpless. She passed away on Sunday night, Dec. 12th. The remains will be brought to Fairmount for burial.

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December 16, 1937

#### MRS. NELS FREEBURG DIED SUDDENLY

Word has been received here of the death of Mrs. Nels Freeburg, of Lisbon, ND. Deceased is the mother of Mr. Carl Freeburg, a son-in-law of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Prochnow of this city. Mrs. Freeburg died suddenly while she was doing her Christmas shopping in Lisbon last Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Albert Pribbernow left Wednesday to attend the funeral.

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December 16, 1937

#### ROSHOLT FARMER TAKES OWN LIFE

ROSHOLT....Hjalmer Peterson, well known farmer who lived just east of Rosholt, was found dead in the cow barn shortly after 7 o'clock Saturday morning. Death was apparently

from a self-inflicted wound. A .22 calibre rifle was found beside the body.

Mr. Peterson left the house about 7 o'clock and a short time later a member of the family found the barn door locked from the Inside. Crawling through a window he found the lifeless body. Peterson was in good health and fair financial condition.

By hard work Peterson had developed one of the fine farms of Roberts County. A widow and ten children survive.

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# GALCHUTT MEAT MARKET DEALER KILLED

## MRS. FRANK DEANS DIED

Word was received in Fairmount Friday morning that Mrs. Frank Deans had passed away at her home in Pasadena, CA., Thursday morning, Dec. 9th. Mr. and Mrs. Deans were residents of Fairmount for many years.

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December 23, 1937

WHITE ROCK.... News was received by relatives that Archie Lurner had passed away at the Breckenridge Hospital of double pneumonia, after only a few days illness.

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December 23, 1937

Dr. H. Tillisch was in Hankinson Wednesday, attending to business. Dr. and Mrs. Tillisch have just returned from Monteicello, MN., where they attended the funeral services for Dr. Tillisch's nephew, Dr. Clarence Tillisch, who was 28 years old and had recently entered practice at Negaunee, MI.

LAMARS....Mrs. Raiph Bonine returned home Friday from Oregon, where she went to attend her mother's funeral. She spent the time visiting relatives at Canby and other parts of the state.

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## SUDDEN DEMISE OF MRS. F. TIEGS

The Angel of Death visited our community last Sunday morning at 8:30, Dec. 26th and took Home with her one of our most beloved ploneer citizens, Mrs. Frank Tiegs.

Mrs. Tiegs had been in apparently good health, and had arisen in the morning as usual to prepare breakfast, and while dressing complained about not feeling well. She dropped into a chair and passed quietly away from heart failure. It was a severe shock to Mr. Tiegs and family and their friends. A devoted mother, If ever there was one, she will be sadly missed.

Mrs. Frank Tiegs was born Anna Hohenstern on March 3rd, 1872, in Pommern, Stettin, Germany and immigrated to the United States with her parents, when one year old. Her parents settled at Mayville, WI., where they resided until 1880 when they moved to North Dakota and homesteaded 8 miles northwest of Hankinson in Belford Township. It was here she grew to womanhood and in 1891 was united in marriage to Frank Tiegs. They homesteaded 8

miles southwest of Hankinson where they lived until 1898 when they moved to 6 miles northwest of Hankinson where they continued farming until the fall of 1935, retired and moved to Hankinson, where they have since made their home.

Their marriage was blessed with twelve children of whom all survive except one son and one daughter, who preceed her in death in their Infancy. The following survive: Theodore, Hankinson; Mrs. Minnie Westpahl, Wahpeton; Mrs. Ida Pankow, Hankinson; Mrs. Emma Lentz Lidgerwood, Albert, Hankinson; Herman, Hankinson; Mrs. Rose Krause, Columbus, ND,; Frank, Jr., Los Angeles, CA.; Arnold and Nina at home. Forty three grandchildren and one greatgrandchild. Two grandchildren, Howard Krause and Ardell Lentz also preceeded her in death.

The funeral will be held Friday (Dec. 31st) at 1 o'clock at the house and at 2 o'clock at the St. John's Lutheran Church in Belford Township. Rev. Cordts will deliver the sermons, English and German.

The following pall bearers, who were neighbors and close friends will carry her to rest: J. C. Polfuss, Gustav Polfuss, Gustav Medenwaldt, Henry Krause, Edwin Gaedcke, Wm. Pankow. Four of her grandchildren, Ethelynn Westpahl, Gertrude Pankow, Elvera Lentz and Elna Tiegs will carry flowers. Interment will be made at St. John's Lutheran Cemetery in Belford.

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December 30, 1937

#### MRS. O. HOEFT FUNERAL SUNDAY

Mrs. Ottella Hoeft, pioneer of the Great Bend community, died at 8 o'clock Tuesday evening, Dec. 28th. Death occurred at her home in Great Bend and followed an illness of two weeks' duration. Although of an age of 79 years, deceased was in very good health until shortly before her death. Her husband, Julius Hoeft died in 1929.

Funeral services will be held in Great Bend on Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock in the church, Rev. Hoy conducting the service.

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December 30, 1937

## FAIRMOUNT PIONEER WOMAN DIED IN CALIFORNIA

FAIRMOUNT....Friends of Mrs. W. H. Lawson, 69, will regret to learn of her death on Nov. 30th, at the home of her son. A. G. Lawson, near Hilt, CA., where she lived a number of years.

# BEN GREGOR DIED

FAIRMOUNT....Louis Gregor received word by telephone Monday night that his father, Ben Gregor, had passed away at his home at Waterville, MN., that afternoon at 4:30 o'clock.

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December 30, 1937

## FUNERAL SERVICES

GREAT BEND....Ernest Paul Niemann, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Niemann, Sr., of Little Falls, MN., passed away at 10:15 Wednesday morning at Fargo, ND., where he has been since Dec. 19th. Previous to that he was in the Wahpeton Hospital a month.

Funeral services were held Monday afternoon at 1 o'clock from the home in Summit Township, and at 1:30 o'clock at the St. John's Lutheran Church in Summit Township. Burial was made at the church cemetery. Rev. Schumacher officiated.

Mr. Niemann was born on Oct. 16th, 1889, at Little Falls, MN. On Sept. 11th, 1913, his marriage to Elizabeth Wiebusch took place at Tyler. He had been a farmer in Summit Township for 24 years. Surviving are his wife, three children, Pearl, at Fargo, Wesley and Florence at home. His parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Niemann, of Little Falls, MN., his brothers, Otto, of Minneapolis, William, Jr., and Fred, of Little Falls, John, of Tyler, and Herbert, of Wahpeton; two sisters, Mrs. Louis Hallas, and Mrs. Gerald Romeo, of Brainerd, MN. One sister, Minnie, Preceeded him in death.

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December 30, 1937

## **DEATHS**

JANUARY....Mrs. Albert Buckhouse, Mrs. Martin Meyer, Mrs. Ell Power, Fred Rothgaber, Mrs. Joseph Gully, John Mohs, Letita McIlwain.

FEBRUARY....Virgll Franz, E. C. Gordon, Mrs. Otto Voeltz, Monroe Hanlon, Mrs. Hugo Macheel.

MARCH.....Mrs. Ernest W. Anderson, Mr. Ernest W. Anderson, Charlie Krause, Marshall Kretchman.

APRIL.... Mrs. Emil Radloff

MAY.....Mrs. George Stack, John Giltner, Jacob Glasner

JULY.....Julius Draeger and Albert Erb.

AUGUST.....Casper Miller, Martin Aadland and Louis Jahnke (dled in St. Paul)

SEPTEMBER.....John Bommersbach, Wm. Bauman, Dan R. Jones at Wahpeton.

OCTOBER.....V. F. Griffith, Wm. Hoeft of Great Bend

NOVEMBER.....Mrs. Lena Faust, Adam Hipp and Mrs. H. O. Wendt

DECEMBER.....Alfred Prochnow; John Scheller, Sr., Mrs. B. Boelke; Dennis Hohenstern; Mrs. Frank Tiegs; Mrs. O. Hoeft.

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December 30, 1937

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# NIECE OF SCHRAMMS DIED

# MR. HAROLD KELSEY DIED IN MONTANA

Word was received here Monday morning by Fred Worner and H. G. Worner that Mr. Harold Kelsey had passed away in Billings, MT. Mr. Kelsey was the former's son-in-law. The Messers. Worner's left (today) Thursday for Brook Park, MN., where the burial services will be held Friday. Surviving are his wife and three married children.

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January 6, 1938

#### OBITUARY

GREAT BEND....The Angel of Death visited our community last Tuesday evening at 20 minutes to 8, Dec. 28th, and took home with her one of most beloved pioneer citizens, Mrs. Ottelia Henriette Hoeft (nee Kriesel).

Mrs. Hoeft had been in good health until Dec. 20th, when she was stricken with a stroke. Ottelia Henrietta Hoeft was born June 27th, 1858, at New Hammer, Pommern, Germany; Died Dec. 28th, 1937, at ther home in Great Bend. In 1867 at the age of nine years she came with her parents from Germany to America and settled in Jackson County, WI. There she grew to womanhood and in 1879 was married to Julius Hoeft. In 1880 they came to North Dakota and homesteaded on a farm northwest of Great Bend, where she lived for 47 years, retiring 11 years ago. Since then she has resided in Great Bend. Her husband, three daughters and one son preceded her in death. She leaves to mourn five daughters and three sons namely; Mrs. J. E. Hoffman, Mooreton, ND., Mrs. E. Schweers, Seattle, WA., Mrs. A. F. Cook, Breckenridge, MN., Mrs. W. E. Brummond, Casper, WY., Mrs. A. B. Graves, Chicago, Arthur, Herbert and Marvin, of Great Bend. One sister, 2 brothers and 36 grandchildren and 15 great-grandchildren survive. The deepest sympathy goes to the bereaved families.

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January 6, .1938

## GREAT BEND BOY DIES DEC. 31st

Little Larry Allan, fifteen months old son of Mr. and Mrs. Milton Sedler, Great Bend, passed away at the Wahpeton Hospital New Years' eve. He was born September 14th, 1936

Funeral services were held Tuesday at 1:30 o'clock from the home of his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Stoltenow, Great Bend and from the Evangelical Church at Great Bend at 2 o'clock. Burial will be made in the church cemetery. Rev. Hoge officiated.

Left to mourn the passing of the child are his parents, a brother, Lowell Duane 4, and Patricia Ann, 2, and a lot of relatives and friends.

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January 6, 1938

### ERNEST NIEMAN DIED

TYLER....Funeral services were held on Monday afternoon for Ernest Nieman at 1:30 from the home and 2 o'clock from the St. John's Lutheran Church of which he was a member.

Rev. Schumacher officiated. The church was filled with friends and relatives who came to pay their last respects.

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January 6, 1938

# BROTHER OF MRS. A. E. MOURER DIED FRIDAY

## MRS. JOHNKE IS NOW ON TRIAL

Detention of Carl Sandgree, 32 year old St. Paul WPA worker as a material witness for the prosecution, the exhuming of two dogs from their graves, and the questioning of jurors as to whether a woman's past would influence their verdict, were the principal development as the trial of Mrs. Beatrice Johnke, of So. St. Paul, and former Mantador woman, for the poison slaying of her husband a former Hankinson man, opened in Hastings, MN.

Otto and Carl Johnke and Mrs. Robert Bladow, of Hankinson, brothers and sister of of the dead man, have been subpoensed by the prosecution as witnesses.

Mrs. Johnke's attorneys intend to fight the state's charges by showing that the defendant was a loving wife who showed deep concern for her husband during his illness.

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January 13, 1938

Mrs. Domenick Meide returned Sunday from Stillwater, MN., where she attended the funeral of her brother-in-law on Friday. Mrs. Pelvit, of Breckenridge, bought her home and spent the day with the Meide family. Mrs. Pelvit is Mrs. Meide's mother.

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January 13, 1938

# EARLY SETTLER PASSES AWAY AT ADVANCED AGE

HAMMER.... Nels Feigum, of Minnesota Township, died on Thursday morning, last week, at 5:30 at the Tekakwitha Hospital in Sisseton.

Deceased was born in Lyster Sogen, Norway, on Aug. 9th, 1865. He came to America when seventeen years old. He moved from Lac qui Parle County, MN., in 1897, to Roberts County and resided on a farm near Hammer until three months ago when he moved to Sisseton. At the time of his death he was 72 years, 4 months and 21 days old.

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January 13, 1938

### DEATH OF MRS. UREVIG

# AIRPLANE CRASH KILLED POSTAL INSPECTOR KNOWN HERE

The crash of the Northwest Airlines's luxury liner in Montana this week, which killed ten people, also took the life of Walter Ton, 44, of St. Paul. He leaves a wife and one 6 months old child.

Ton, until he was transferred to St. Paul, called in Hankinson regularly to inspect the Hankinson Post Office, and a large number of people here became acquainted with him.

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January 13, 1938

### PIONEER DIED

Funeral services were held last Wednesday in Redondo Beach, CA., for James Lynch, 86 years old, pioneer of Richland County, who died January 10th.

Mr. Lynch was born in Berlin, WI., and came to Richland County, settling in Liberty Grove Township where he farmed for many years.

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January 20, 1938

### REFUSES PLEA FOR JOHNKE DISMISSAL

HASTINGS, MN....Mrs. Robert Bladow, sister of Louis Johnke, for whose death his wife, Beatrice, is on trial for murder, testified the defendent and her husband "acted like a loving husband and wife" during a visit to her home in Hankinson, ND., last Decoration Day.

A state witness, Mrs. Bladow told of a visit the Johnkes made to North Dakota and of subsequent visits she and her brother Otto Johnke and Mrs. Herman Johnke, sister-in-law of the defendent, made to St. Paul to see Johnke in St. Luke's Hospital.

Mrs. Bladow was followed on the stand by the dead man's brother, Otto, of Hankinson. His testimony was similiar to that of his sister.

John Willwerscheild, St. Paul Undertaker, testified Mrs. Johnke spent \$705 to give her husband a "nice funeral."

The defense for Mrs. Johnke scored heavily this week. The doctor, who diagnosed the cause of death as "food poisoning" for the insurance affidavit now testifies that death was caused by arsenic poisoning. Another witness testified that the bottle containing the poison alleged to have been taken from the dead man's stomach was left unsealed in a public place for several week. Both witnesses' statements are apparently to the advantage of Mrs. Johnke.

The motion made by the defense counsel to dismiss the charge against Mrs. Johnke was refused by the presiding judge today.

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January 20, 1938

## WYNDMERE MAN KILLED AT SPOKANE

WYNDMERE,...Wyndmere friends will learn with regret of the death of Alex Springer, son of Mr. and Mrs. Alex Springer, of Spokane, WA., on New Years Eve. The family lived at Wyndmere for many ears and have many friends and relatives in the vicinity.

The tragedy occurred, according to word received here, was when he stepped from his car to the highway and was crushed against the side of his car by a passing vehicle.

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## MRS. B. JOHNKE "NOT GUILTY"

Attorney Holds That the State Had No Evidence to Convict

A district court jury late Saturday acquitted Mrs. Beatrice Johnke, 41 year old Grandmother, of a first degree murder charge. The state contended she poisoned her husband, Louis, 45, for the love of another man.

"I feel just the way I did before," Mrs. Johnke commented after the verdict. "I had nothing to worry about."

The jury of nine men and three women required 70 hours to reach its decision. A short time before the jurors finished, the court considered invoking a state statute providing jurors may be required to deliberate "without food or drink, except water" in an effort to break a deadlock.

Former North Dakotans, the Johnkes, lived in Hankinson and on a farm near Wyndmere before moving to So. St. Paul. The jury foreman said at one time the ballot stood at 10 to 2 for conviction. On the first ballot, he said, there were two for conviction, four for acquittal and six blanks.

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February 3, 1938

(The January 27, 1938 issue is missing)

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### FUNERAL FOR MRS. DIBBERT SATURDAY

Death Came to Hankinson Mother Tuesday Eve

Funeral services for Mrs. Fred Dibbert, who died Tuesday, Feb. 1st, will be held at the home at 1:30 Saturday, and at the Lutheran Church at 2 PM. Rev. J. P. Klausler will conduct the services.

Mrs. Dibbert succumbed following an illness dating back to July. All that loving hands could do to restore her health proved of no avail and death came at 6:45 PM., Tuesday. In October she was taken to Breckenridge for treatment and later to a Minneapolis hospital, from where she returned Jan. 24th.

Marie Witt Dibbert was born Dec. 4th, 1879, at Elyria, OH. In 1880 she came with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Witt to Richland County, and they made their home on a Wild Rice homestead. On March 23rd, 1905, she was united in marriage by Rev. R. Hilgendorf, of Belford, and after five years spent on a farm they moved to Hankinson where they have since made their home.

Surviving are her sorrowing husband and six children: Mrs. Rose Stroehl, Kulm; Orin, of Yakima, WA.; Gordon, Harriet, Allen and Lewis, all of Hankinson. Her aged mother, Mrs. Carl Witt, three brothers and five sisters also survive.

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February 3, 1938

## MRS. MIKE WIRTZ DIED SUNDAY

# Funeral Held Wednesday for Waldo Pioneer

Funeral services were held Wednesday morning at 10 o'clock at St. Philip's Church for Mrs. Mike Wirtz, who passed away at the local hospital Sunday. Fr. Schuh officiated.

Mrs. Wirtz, who had been failing in health for the past few years, sustained injur-

ies in a fall which happened on Jan. 20th, at her home and her condition became so critical that she was removed to the Hankinson Hospital. She passed away at 6 o'clock Sunday night, at the age of 67 years.

Katherine Faust was born in Milleville, MN., Otter Tail County, Oct. 30, 1870. On Nov. 22nd, 1898, she was united in marriage to Mr. Mike Wirtz, and then came to Waldo Township in Richland County to make their home, where she resided until her death.

Surviving to mourn their loss are: four sons, George, Harry, Matt and Joe, and one daughter, Anna. Three sisters also survive; Mrs. Andy Lee, and Miss Elizabeth Faust, of Hankinson, and Mrs. Joe Rettig, of Mantador.

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February 3, 1938

## DEATH OF PUHMAN

The many Fairmount friends of Wm. Puhman, of Enderlin, Soo Line brakeman, regret to learn of his death Monday evening, as a result of pneumonia.

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February 3, 1938

## IVER HALVORSON PASSES

ROSHOLT....Word was received here Wednesday morning that Iver Halvorson passed away at a Minneapolis Hospital. He suffered a stroke shortly before his summons came.

Mr. Halvorson had been a resident of this vicinity for the past 30 years, and was well known to all the old timers, with hosts of friends, who are grieved to learn of his death.

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#### ATTEND FATHER'S FUNERAL

Mrs. Beck Bellin's father, John Bennington, passed away at his home in Park River, ND., Saturday. Funeral services were held Monday. Mr. and Mrs. Bellin were called Thursday and were there at the time that death occurred.

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February 3, 1938

### PROMINENT RAIL EXECUTIVE DEAD

L. A. Swanson, Assistant General Freight Agent of the Soo Railway, and one time candidate for governor of North Dakota, with offices in Bismarck, died at his home Saturday.

Over 2,000 people attended the funeral held at Carrington, his former home.

Mr. Swanson was well known in Hankinson, where he came often for business or pleasure trips.

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#### COUNTY PIONEER ACCIDENT VICTIM

Joseph Patterson, 79, former Wahpeton banker and one of Richland County's earliest residents, died Wednesday from injuries suffered Jan. 28th, when he was struck by a car on a Wahpeton street. He had been a hospital patient since.

Identified with banking in the community for 25 years, he retired in 1926 as president of the Wahpeton National Bank. Mr. Patterson was a stockholder in the Hankinson National Bank many years ago, and is well known by the pioneers of this community.

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February 10, 1938

JOHN RICHIED DIED TODAY

Mr. John Richied, resident of Hankinson for over thirty years, died at his home in this city today at 6:25. Death was due to the infirmities of old age. An obituary will be published next week.

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February 10, 1938

## FUNERAL HELD FOR JOHN RICHIED

Pneumonia, Thursday evening claimed the life of John Richied, a resident of this community for the past 38 years. Mr. Richied was ill for such a short time, that his passing came as a sad shock to his many relatives and friends.

Mr. Richied was born at Bruchenthal, Austria, August 12th, 1854. In 1876 he married Miss Catherine Roth. From this union he leaves to mourn his passing: his widow, Mrs. Catherine Richied, five children, Mrs. Margaret Budge, Laurel, MT., Mrs. Anna Scheller, Hankinson, Mrs. Peter Onsrud, Santa Rosa, CA., Mr. Frank Richied, Los Angeles, CA. He also leaves 15 grandchildren and nine great-grandchildren.

Attending the funeral from out of town were his daughter, Mrs. Margaret Budge, Laurel, MT., Grandchildren, John Budge, Mr. and Mrs. Steve Rommee, of Laurel, MT., Mr. and Mrs. Frank Scheller and children, of Wadena, MN. Others were Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kosek, Mrs. Frank Yager, of Breckenridge.

Funeral services were held Monday morning at 9 'clock from St. Philip's Catholic Church with the Rev. Father Schuh, officiating.

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February 17, 1938

# DEATH CALLS MRS. ANNA HEISE

## Ill Only Few Days - Was Over Ninety Years of Age

Funeral services were conducted Tuesday by Rev. J. P. Klausler, from the Lutheran Church, in this city for Mrs. Anna Heise, who passed away on Friday evening, Feb. 11th, at her home here, after only a few days illness, at the age of 90 years, 6 months and 12 days. Mrs. Heise, in spite of her advanced age, was always quite active, easily able to take care of the home and attend a small garden in summer months.

Mrs. Anna Heise, nee Barbknecht, was born on July 29th, in Walbert, West Prussia, Germany. She was married to August Heise, Jan. 2nd, 1870 and they immigrated to America in May of 1888, settling near Havana, ND. In October of 1914, they moved to Hankinson, where she had since made her home. Her husband died in 1932, terminating a marriage of almost 63 years.

Surviving to mourn their loss are six daughter, Mrs. John Peitz, Mrs. Frank Peitz, of Hankinson, Mrs. Chas. Bullis, Mrs. George Ries, Mrs. Lee Harrison, all of Los Angeles, CA., Mrs. Deneen, International Falls, MN., 16 grandchildren, 9 great-grandchildren and 1 brother at Havana, ND., also survive.

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February 17, 1938

#### FORMER PASTOR HERE DIED

Word was received in Hankinson today of the death of Rev. John S. Rood, who passed away at Claremont, CA., from a heart attack.

Rev. Rood was pastor of the Congregational Church in Hankinson up until 1921, when

he left to accept a pastorate in Minnesota. About 10 years later he retired to a home for ministers in Claremont..

Mr. Rood was 81 years old at the time of his demise. He had only recently recovered his eyesight through a delicate operation.

His wife, who has been seriously ill, and one daughter survive.

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February 17, 1938

#### - PIONEER WOMAN DIED

FAIRMOUNT....Mrs. Minnie Taylor Pelham, formerly of Fairmount, ND., passed away at the home of her son, Donald, in St. Paul, February 3rd.

Her passing brought to a close a life that had been active from the early days of Fairmount community. \* \* \* \* \* \* \* \* \* \* February 17, 1938

## HALL TWP. MAN DIED

WYNDMERE....Edgar Martinson, beloved Hall Township farmer, passed away at the Breck-enridge Hospital at noon on Tuesday, Feb. 8th, following an operation for a ruptured appendix. Martinson had resided in Hall Township since 1891.

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February 17, 1938

## GREENDALE PIONEER DIED FEB. 15th

Funeral services were held Monday in the Congregational Church at Hankinson for Mrs. W. G. Kruger, who died suddenly at her home in Valley City, ND., Feb. 15th. Rev. W. M. Osborn officiated.

Mrs. Kruger (nee Marsh) was a pioneer of Greendale Township and throughout the community was known and loved for her innumerable acts of kindness and charity during the pioneer days of the township.

Rhoda Ann Richards was born May 9th, 1861, in Decatur County, IN., daughter of Sarah and Jacob Richards. When a child she moved to Mason County, IL., where in 1880 she was united in marriage to James Marsh, of Browning, IL. They moved with their two children, Arthur and Bessie, to Hankinson, in the apring of 1890 homesteading in Greendale Township Richland County, where the other two children, Elsie Pearl and Nettie, were born.

In the fall of 1919 they moved to Valley City, where she lived at the time of her death. Her husband, Mr. Marsh, preceded her in death, March 16th, 1923. On Nov. 26th, 1930, she was married to W. G. Kruger, of Tacoma, WA.

Surviving are her husband, one son, Arthur C. Marsh, of Regina, Sask., and daughters, Mrs. Carl Grasswick, Valley City; Mrs. A. C. Rommereim, Roslyn and Mrs. T. H. Grasswick, Calgary, Alberta. A number of grandchildren and great-grandchildren also survive.

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February 24, 1938

## MONOXIDE GAS TAKES TWO LIVES

Sherman Spande, 22, and Ivan Donaldson, of Rutland, drivers of the Allied Fruit truck, were found dead in the cab of the truck parked at the Northern Pacific depot in Wahpeton, Sunday afternoon. Death was due to monoxide poisoning.

The truck is believed to have been parked near the warehouse shortly after midnight.

A partially eaten box of crackers and sandwich spread indicated that the boys had eaten

a meal. That they then went to sleep with the motor running was the opinion of the officals, which the men usually do at the end of a large run.

Both families are pioneer residents of Rutland, where the Allied Fruit Co., has its headquarters. Both young men are well known in Hankinson, where they regularly made deliveries to local stores.

Donaldson is survived by his father, Ivor Donaldson, of Rutland, ND., brother, Eldon, Ronald and Donald and sisters Phyllis and Beulah. Sherman Spande is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Spande, of Rutland.

Funeral services for the two young men were held at Rutland Tuesday.

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February 24, 1938

### PIONEER WOMAN DIED

FORMAN....The community was shocked yesterday (Wednesday) morning when word was received of the death of Mrs. Richard McCarten, one of the earliest settlers in this part of Sargent County.

Apparently in good health she suffered a slight stroke late Sunday afternoon from which she appeared to rally and was thought to be improving when a second stroke proved fatal.

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#### ATTEND FUNERAL

MOORETON....Mrs. C. A. Klosterman and son, Freddie, also Mrs. Tom Althoff and Mrs. Math Althoff returned here Saturday evening from Woodstock, MN., where they went to attend the funeral of the former's sister, Miss Clara Mechler, which was held at that place.

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February 24, 1938

## MOORETON LADY DIED

MOORETON....Funeral services for Mrs. August Luebke, 55, who died early Sunday morning at St. Francis Hoapital at 1 o'clock were held Wednesday afternoon at 1 o'clock from the home and at 2 o'clock from the German Lutheran Church in Barney with Rev. Wians officiating.

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February 24, 1938

## BROTHER OF HAROLD HALVERSON DIED IN WYNDMERE

Mr. Carlyle Halverson, 31, passed away at his home in Wyndmere Saturday, following a sixteen months' illness.

Funeral services were held Monday at the Wyndmere Lutheran Church, Rev. Bjerke conducting the service. Deceased was not married. Surviving to mourn their loss are; his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Halverson, two brothers, Harold, of Hankinson and Marcus, of Los Angeles; and five sisters; Mrs. Casper Nummedal, of Delamere; Mrs. C. E. Wolfe, of Los Angeles; Mrs. M. W. Bohnenstingel, of Wheaton; Mrs. H. C. Heifert, of Fargo; Mrs. L. Thiel of Barney.

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March 3, 1938

LOUIS WANOUS, FORMER LIDGERWOOD MAN, DIED

Mr. and Mrs. G. O. Weston and daughters, attended the funeral for Mr. Louis Wanous, held at the Sisseton Lutheran Church Wednesday. Mr. Wanous, 47, former Lidgerwood business man, died at his farm home near Sisseton, Saturday. His wife, five sons and one daughter survive. Mrs. Wanous and Mrs. Weston are sisters.

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March 10, 1938

## MRS. GUST OLSON DIED FRIDAY

Mrs. Gust Olson passed away Friday morning at her home in this city following many months' of failing health, the last few of which she was critically ill.

Funeral services were held Monday at the local Congregational Church. Rev. W. M. Osborn conducted the services before a host of sorrowing friends who loved and respected her for her kindness, courage and faith.

The order of Eastern Star assisted in the service.

Anne Christine Olson was born Sept. 30th, 1881, at Enderlin, ND. She was baptized and confirmed in St. Olaf Lutheran Church by Rev. Jahrens. She was united in marriage to Mr. Gust Olson, June 3rd, 1902. They made their home in Enderlin until 1921, in which year they moved to Hankinson and where they have since made their home.

Surviving to mourn their loss are; her husband, and one daughter, Mrs. Inman Howell, of Dunedin, FL., grandson, Jerry, one brother, Carl E. Krantz of California, two sisters; Mrs. N. M. Lunde, Cooperstown, Mrs. F. Drey, Watkins, MN., and a sister-in-law, Mrs. Petra Krantz, Fargo, ND.

The following contributed verse is dedicated to Mrs. Olson:

## STATE LINE MAN DIED MONDAY

Mr. W. W. Reed, pioneer resident of the state line community, died at his home two miles north of New Effington Monday. Funeral services were held in the Lutheran Church at Victor today. Deceased was exceptionally well known in the state line community where he took an active part in church work. An obituary will be available next week.

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March 10, 1938

# FUNERAL HELD FOR PIONEER CITIZEN

Funeral services were held Wednesday morning at St. Philip's Church, Rev. Father Schuh officiating, for John Miller, 86, a pioneer of the Mantador community who died Monday at 11:30 AM.

Mr. Miller was born at Richmond, MN., on Feb. 26, 1852. When 21 years of age he moved with his parents to Richland County and they homesteaded near Mantador. Later he owned a farm near Geneseo. In 1903 he moved to Fowles, MN., where he farmed and later returned to Hankinson where he lived with is sister, Mrs. Anna Hanson, until the time of his death.

Surviving are two sisters, Mrs. Anna Hanson, of this city, and Mrs. Frank Woiwodie,

of Douglas; one brother, Jacob, of Douglas, a nephew, Joe Hanson; a niece Catherine Hanson and a grand nephew Charles Hanson.

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March 10, 1938

#### JOHN SPRAGUE FUNERAL

FAIRMOUNT....Funeral services were conducted Friday afternoon at two o'clock from the Fairmount Baptist Church for John Sprague, who passed away at the Wahpeton Hospital Tuesday morning following a long period of illness.

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March 10, 1938

# ALLEN KORTH, 11, DIED SATURDAY

Many hearts of this community were deeply saddened last Saturday, when the information was spread abroad that Allen Korth had passed away at a hospital in this city on that afternoon.

Allen Charles Korth was the son of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Korth and was born in Elma Township, Richland County, ND., on July 25th, 1926 on the place which is still the family home. Since he attained school age, he attended the district school and was in the 5th grade at the time of his passing.

About two years ago Allen suffered a siege of inflamatory rheumatism, left his heart in a weakened condition and this in all likihood was the underlying cause of his last illness and death.

On Feb. 14th, of this year, he began to ail. A complication of illnesses followed, which soon made his condition very serious. On Wednesday, March 9th he was removed from his home to a hospital in this city. In spite of every effort that was made for his recovery, he passed away on Saturday afternoon, March 12th, at about 3:30 o'clock. He attained the age of 11 years, 7 months and 15 days.

He leaves to mourn his early passing, his deeply sorrowing parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Korth, two brothers, four sisters, his two grandmothers: Mrs. Amanda Korth and Mrs. Emma Neuman, 10 aunts, 75 (?) uncles, (15 sounds more like it) other more distant relatives and friends.

Funeral services were held on Tuesday afternoon, March 15th, beginning at the house of mourning at 1 o'clock and being continued at Emmanuel Evangelical Church at 2 o'clock. Interment was made on Emmanuel Cemetery near this city. Rev. Eyrich officiated at the funeral. The sympathy of the community is extended to the bereaved relatives.

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March 17, 1938

# FUNERAL FRIDAY FOR JOE KERN

Mr. Joe Kern, former Hankinson blacksmith, died Tuesday, following an operation in a Breckenridge Hospital.

Funeral services will be held Friday at 10 o'clock in St. Boniface's Church in Lidger-wood. A wife and 7 grown children survive. Mr. Kern and Mr. Paul Witte operated a black-smith shop in Hankinson until about 20 years ago when Mr. Kern moved to Lidgerwood.

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March 17, 1938

### DEATH OF BROTHER

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Berg received the sad news of the death of the formers' brother,

William Berg, of Parnell, MO. He died Friday, March 11th. They were unable to attend the funeral.

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Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Woolsey received word today of the death of Mrs. Woolsey's sister-in-law, Mrs. J. J. Balderson, of St. Paul. They left today to attend the funeral.

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March 17, 1938

## PESCHEL BABY BOY DIES ON FRIDAY

WELL KNOWN LADY PASSED AWAY AT SCOTTS MILLS, OR.

ROSHOLT....Mr. Fred Losinger, of this place, received the sad news Monday morning, that his mother had passed away at her home at Scotts Mills, OR. She was well known here by all the old timers, having lived here. She was quite well advanced in years.

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March 24, 1938

### E. D. BAKER DIED AT ST. PAUL HOME

FAIRMOUNT....E. D. Baker, 76, pioneer resident of this community passed away at his home in St. Paul, Sunday, March 13th. Funeral services were conducted Tuesday.

Mr. Baker was a member of the Early Michigan settlement and at one time owned and farmed the land now owned by Harley Swanson. Mr. Baker died following a surgical operation which he submitted to four weeks ago.

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March 24, 1938

### MRS. M. WAGNER DIED ON FRIDAY

Afer a lingering illness, Mrs. Michael Wagner, of Lidgerwood, passed away at a hosp-ital in this city on Friday afternoon, March 25th, at about 3 PM. Mrs. Wagner was born in Germany and had spent longer or shorter periods of time in Nebraska, Illinois, and South Dakota, but had resided on a farm about ten miles northwest of Lidgerwood since the fall of 1900. She attained the age of 71 years and 21 days.

# PETER ENNEN FUNERAL SATURDAY

Peter Ennen, 80, died at the home of his sister, Mrs. John Meyer early this (Thursday) morning.

Mr. Ennen, a pioneer of south Richland County, left here several years ago to make his home near Faith, SD. Following a fire which destroyed his home in that community, he moved to Hankinson and had since made his home with Mrs. John Meyer.

Surviving are an aged mother, three sisters, Mrs. Mary Meyer, of Hankinson; and Christina and Katie, of Lemon, SD., two brothers, Oliver in LaMars Township and Anton in Yankton.

Funeral services will be held Saturday morning at St. Philip's Church in this city.

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GREAT BEND....Word received in Great Bend tells that Mr. and Mra. Swanson (Lenora Heidner) and husband, cousins of George Heidner, had drowned during the flood in California. When water began coming up to their home they did not know which way to go and drove right into the path of high water.

Her parents knew nothing of the tragedy until they heard the names broadcast as among the drowned. When they found her she was submerged in mud and water, with only her hand sticking upward. Later they found his body. They had one child, but it was not stated whether or not he was with them at the time.

Her parents live in the same town but farther away from the flooded district.

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March 31, 1938

Mrs. E. W. Allen received word Thursday telling of the death of her sister, Mrs. Glen Allen, at San Francisco. Funeral services were held on Friday.

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April 7, 1938

### FUNERAL HELD FOR MR. CHARLES BLADOW

Charles Bladow, pioneer farmer of Brightwood Township, passed away on the old home-stead, Friday morning at 7 o'clock, following 18 months of failing health, the last six of which were critical.

Chas. Bladow was born in Rosenhof, Germany, in February of 1870. When a year and a half old, he came to America with his parents and settled in Iron Ridge, WI., and in 1882 the family moved to Brightwood Township, in Richland County, where, except for five years, he made his home. He was united in marriage to Miss Augusta Gaedcke on Sept. 7th, 1892.

Surviving to mourn their loss are: seven children, four sons: Ted, Reinhardt, Henry and Raymond; and four daughters, Mrs. Albert Ernst, Mrs. Walter Bladow, Mrs. Palmquist, of Wheaton and Lena, at home; two brothers, Albert and August Bladow; three sisters, Mrs. Herman Kempke, Mrs. Herman Prochnow and Mrs. Wm. Wurl.

Funeral services were held Monday afternoon at the Belford Lutheran Church. Rev.

Cordts conducted the services before a host of relatives and friends who had come to pay
their last earthly respects to a good neighbor, friend and conscientious North Dakota pioneer.

Pallbearers were: Chas. Witt, Gust Polfuss, Robert Tiegs, Robert Dumke, August Pankow and Henry Witt. \* \* \* \* \* \* \* \* \* \* \* April 14, 1938

### FUNERAL MONDAY FOR JAMES SHEA

Jeremiah Shea passed away Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. Fred Bisek in this city, at the age of 86 years, 2 months and 12 days. Death was caused by complications accompanying old age. Mr. Shea had been in poor health since last fall and for the past three weeks had been confined to his bed. Fr. Schuh, of St. Philip's Church was visiting with Mr. Shea when the Angel of Death called.

Deceased was born in Virginia on Feb. 1st, 1851, one of a family of five children. When he was about a year old the family moved to Pembroke, Ontario, Canada, where he made

his home until 1882. In the spring of that year he, with his brother, Cornelius, came to Dakota Territory and homesteaded seven miles south west of this city. Later his mother and brother, John, came here; another brother, James and family also came shortly after, and all homesteaded here. His mother died in 1889. Jeremiah was the last survivor of the four brothers known as the "Shea Brothers." They were the first settlers in Elma Township and at one time owned twelve quarters of land.

Eighteen years ago he retired from farming and moved into this city. Funeral services will be held Monday morning at 10 o'clock at St. Philip's Catholic Church of which he was a faithful member, a charter member and organizer. A Solemn Requiem High Mass will be said with Rev. Joseph F. Studnicka officiating.

Surviving are a niece, Mrs. Clara Green, a nephew, Cornelius Shea. Other relatives are James Shea, Jerry Shea, Mrs. Herbert DeForest, Mrs. Madge Brown and Marjorie Green.

#### MOTHER OF CARL FROLUND DEAD

### ATTEND FUNERAL

# FUNERAL HELD FOR MRS. BOELKE

GREAT BEND....The community was grieved to learn of the death of Mrs. Paul Boelke, who passed away Thursday morning. About a year ago Mrs. Boelke underwent a serious surgical operation, and seemingly never recovered.

Emilie Loll was born March 15th, 1874, in Wisconsin, where she grew to womanhood. In 1895 she was married to Fred Sedler, who passed away in 1906. In 1907 she was married to to Paul Boelke.

Funeral services were held on Easter Sunday, April 17th, from the home of her daughter Mrs. Paul Bohn, with whom she had made her home since she returned from the hospital about a year ago. Services were later held at the Trinity Lutheran Church at Great Bend, Rev. Rengstorff, Officiating.

Surviving to mourn their loss are: her husband; one daughter, (Hazel) Mrs. Paul Bohn and one son, Theodore, both of Great Bend; two sisters, Mrs. Otto Gutzmer, of Great Bend, Mrs. Ferdinand Hammermeister, of Yakima, WA., two brothers, Hugo Loll, residing in California, and Ed Loll, of Great Bend.

#### FORMER RESIDENT OF NEW EFFINGTON PASSED AWAY

NEW EFFINGTON....After a lingering illness of diabetes and hardening of the arteries, Gilbert Arneson passed away quietly at the Vocational Hospital in Minneapolis, Thursday, April 14th at 5:20 PM. He was in a coma, caused by apoplexy, for about ten days. His death occurred while he was sleeping and members of the family were at his bedside.

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April 28, 1938

### FUNERAL HELD FOR LIDGERWOOD MAN

Fred Sonnenstuhl, a well known and highly respected citizen of the Lidgerwood community for many years, passed away at his home in Lidgerwood early on the morning of Thursday, April 21st. Mr. Sonnenstuhl was also well known to many of the people of Hankisnon and vicinity.

Christoph Frederick Sonnenstuhl was born in Vogelsang, Province of East Prussia, Germany on Dec. 29th, 1858. When he was about sixteen years old, the family moved to Litchtenfell, where he met with Miss Wilhelmine Henrietta Radtke and they were united in marriage on Nov. 7th, 1882, fifty-five years ago last fall.

They came to America early in 1891 and settled in Joliet, IL., where Mr. Sonnenstuhl was employed. About 5 years later they moved to Elkton, SD., and settled on a farm there. In 1901 they came to Lidgerwood, where they continued to farm until 1920 when they retired from active life and have since made their home in Lidgerwood.

Mr. Sonnenstuhl had been ailing for several years preceding his death, which came to him peacefully at 2:45 o'clock on the morning of Thursday, April 21st, 1938.

He leaves to mourn him, his aged wife, one son, Gustav, of Leal, ND., one daughter-in-law, three grandsons, five granddaughters, five great-grandchildren and other relatives and friends.

Funeral services were conducted last Sunday afternoon, beginning at the house of mourning at 1:45 o'clock and being continued at St. John's Evangelical Church. Rev. Eyrich officiated at the funeral. Interment was made in St. John's Cemetery near Lidgerwood.

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April 28, 1938

NEW EFFINGTON....Gilbert Arneson passed away in Minneapolis last week and funeral services were held in the Zion Lutheran Church.

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April 28, 1938

#### ATTEND FUNERAL

FAIRMOUNT....The following people went to White Rock Saturday to attend the funeral services held there for Mr. Arthur J. Robinson, father of Roy Robinson of Blackmere, who died last week. F. P. Nelson, Mrs. Dave Crawford, Mrs. Flo Wetherbee, Dr. C. C. Williams, Stan Leathart, H. A. Leathert, Carlesen Peterson, I. E. Berge. Dr. Williams officiated.

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May 5, 1938

### MRS. DROEN'S MOTHER DIED

SISSETON....Mr. and Mrs. Al Droen left Saturday for Clarkfield, MN., called there by the illness of Mrs. Droen's mother, who subsequently passed away. (The Droen's were

members of the Hankinson High School faculty three years ago.)

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May 5, 1938

#### ATTEND FUNERAL

#### MOTHER OF MR. BICKERTON DIED

Mr. Wybert Bickerton received a cablegram today from Formby, England, announcing the sad news that his mother, Mrs. Helena Bickerton passed away today.

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May 12, 1938

# MRS. ANNA HANSON DIED SUNDAY

This community was greatly saddened Sunday when it was learned that Mrs. Anna Hanson had passed away. Mrs. Hanson had been in failing health for a year and for the past ten weeks had been a patient at the Kersten Hospital. Death was due to heart trouble. On Sunday she seemed in exceptionally good spirits.

Anna Miller was born in Sterns County, MN., April 10, 1872, one of a family of twelve children. When she was about twelve years old, she moved with her family to the Mantador vicinity, where she grew to womanhood. On Sept. 15th, 1900, at Mantador she was married to Nels Hanson, who preceded her in death. Two children were born to this union, Kathryn, at home and Joseph who resides in this city.

For a number of years Mr. and Mrs. Hanson resided in Lidgerwood where Mr. Hanson operated a mill. They then moved to Mantador, where they spent two years on a farm. From there the family moved to the farm southwest of this city where they resided for twenty-two years. Mrs. Hanson and daughter moved to this city about a year ago. Mrs. Hanson's two brothers, Casper and Joseph Miller, who made their home with the Hansons and who moved to this city with them, passed away during the year. Casper passing away on August 9th and Joseph in February.

Surviving are five children, Kathryn Hanson, Joseph Hanson, E. C. Hanson, E. D. Hanson, Mrs. Wm. Kretchman, two grandchildren and one sister, Mrs. Frank Woiwode and one brother, Jacob Miller, both of Douglas.

Funeral services were held on Tuesday morning at 9 o'clock. Pallbearers were Paul Witte, Matt Kinn, George Wirtz, Michael Miller, Joe Lee and John R. Scheller.

Interment was made in Calvary cemetery. Mrs. Hanson was a devoted mother, a kind and considerate friend and neighbor, and possessed a jovial nature. She had endeared herself to all who knew her and she will be greatly missed.

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May 12, 1938

### FUNERAL HELD FOR MOORETON WOMAN

MOORETON....Funeral services were held Wednesday from the Wild Rice Lutheran Church for Mrs. Peter McDougall, of Mooreton, with the Rev. Knutson in charge.

Mrs. McDougall, Richland County resident since 1879, was found dead in her bed Sunday morning by her husband. Mr. McDougall had brought her a glass of water early in the morn-

SISTER OF MR. JOHN KLEIN DIED IN MOBRIDGE

Mr. and Mrs. John Klein and son and daughter, went to Mobridge on Tuesday to attend the funeral of Mr. Klein's sister, Mrs. J. O. Beaver, who passed away Friday. Mrs. Beaver who died Friday, leaves her husband and two children to mourn her untimely death. Mrs. Beaver had been ill the past year.

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May 19, 1938

MRS. EMIL PONATH DIED MONDAY

Mrs. Emil Ponath, 65, died in the Wahpeton Hospital following three months failing health, on May 16th.

Anna Boelke was born in Dodge County, WI., and in 1882 came with her parents to Richland County, settling near Tyler. In 1870 she was united in marriage to Emil Ponath, Rev. Hingst conducting the services.

Funeral services were held from the home at 1 o'clock Thursday and at 2 o'clock from the Lutheran Church of Great Bend, Rev. Rengstorf, of Great Bend, and Rev. Albert Gierke, of Dumont, MN., conducting the services.

Surviving are her husband, Effie, a daughter; and one son, Albert, of Wahpeton; three sisters, Mrs. Emma Koppelman, Mrs. Mike Kinn, and Mrs. Otto Stein and four brothers, Paul, Robert, Ernst and Arnold Boelke.

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May 19, 1938

# TRAGIC DEATH OF LAWRENCE GLASNER

Funeral services for Lawrence Glasner, who died a tragic death Sunday afternoon, were held at St. Philip's Church in Hankinson, Wednesday, Rev. Fr. Jos. F. Studnicka conducting the services before a large crowd of mourners.

Lawrence, sometimes called Paul, had told the other members of the family he was going hunting. He took his 410 shotgun and with his faithful dog left.

About 5 o'clock Mrs. Glasner and daughter started for Lidgerwood for a visit when they noticed someone with a dog on a nearby haystack. They hurried to the house and notified Ralph and Roy Glasner, who immediately left to investigate. On the stack they found Lawrence, partially submerged in the hay covered with blood and the 410 shotgun lying alongside the body. It was apparent that the body had been moved following the death-dealing shot, and it is presumed that the dog sought to help his master by attempting to drag the body from the stack.

The gun had been taken apart evidencing the possibility that the man had been accidently shot while working with the weapon. Deceased had been in ill health for several years, his condition becoming worse recently, and under these extenuating circumstances, Coroner Lester's verdict of self-destruction may have been correctly taken.

Lawrence was born at the home place in March of 1904 and after attaining manhood,

enlisted in the United States Navy, but was discharged because of ill health in 1927.

Surviving to mourn their loss are his mother, Mrs. Jacob Glasner, five brothers; Ray, Ralph, Roy and Jacob at home, and Edward of Minneapolis; Irene, of Minot; Mrs. Lola Lundgren, of Minneapolis; and Mrs. Ed. Schuschke, Jr., of Lidgerwood.

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May 19, 1938

# FOUR STUDENTS DEAD IN FAIRMOUNT AUTO-TRAIN CRASH

..... A report at 4 o'clock today from the Breckenridge Hospital says the two girls are recovering nicely, but the boy, Kraig, is still in a very precarious condition....

Bodies of four Rutland High School atudents lay in state today at Rutland, as this sorrowing Sargent County town prepared to pay funeral tribute to victims of a railroad crossing crash that brought a tragic climax to a school "skip day" outing.

Three other members of the class who were in the ill-fated car, are in the Breckenridge Hospital recovering from injuries sustained.

The dead:

Donald Swanson, the driver, son of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Swanson.

Eileen Swanson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Swanson; the father is a policeman at Rutland.

Arbutus Johnson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Johnson. Mr. Johnson is manager of of the John R. Jones Lumber Co., branch in Rutland.

Floyd Hart, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Hart.

Donald and Arbutus were killed instantly. Eileen and Floyd died later in the hospital. Hospital attendants reported that Emil Kraig, son of Mrs. Andrew Kraig, who suffered a fractured skull is still fighting for his life.

Recovering are Delaine Kuster, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Kuster, owner of the Rutland Ford Garage, and Yvonne Johnson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Johnson, owner of the Johnson General Store, who is a brother of Dale Johnson, well known in Hankinson.

The accident eliminates half of the 1938 Rutland High School's senior class from attending graduation.

The crash occurred as the students were on their way home from Fargo. The crash occurred at the G. N. 81 crossing at Fairmount. According to information received by The NEWS the car and train met almost headon, the whole front and side of the car being crushed like an eggshell, and then tossed with driving force into the deep ditch beside the track. Driving rain interferred with the driver's visibility, but a good view of the railroad is possible from the highway.

Wednesday afternoon the Rutland undertaking cars passed through Hankinson, carrying with them the four broken bodies of the accident victims. Rumors saying five and even six of the party had died were circulated here, but a report today says that four is the correct number.

Funeral arrangements are being made today, and as the children belong to different churches it is not expected that a mass funeral will be held.

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May 19, 1938

FAIRMOUNT....Mrs. Lottie Taylor (nee Bolton) a former resident of Pairmount, passed away at her home in Seattle, WA., on April 25th. Burial was made at Yakima, WA.

Mrs. Taylor, a sister of J. H. Bolton, left Fairmount about 30 years ago to make her home in Yakima, WA.

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# MRS. H. J. FRICKE DIED AFTER LONG ILLNESS

Mrs. H. J. Fricke, who has been more or less helpless for several years, passed away at her home in Milnor Sunday, May 15th, at 2 AM, at the age of 67 years, 3 months and 4 days. A few years ago she had the misfortune to fracture her hip and since that time has slowly failed.

She is survived by her husband and three children, namely, Mrs. George Hoving (Clara) of Glendale, CA., Edward, of Winnipeg, Canada, and Mrs. Hilmer Hoving (Alda), of Fergus Falls, MN., also five grandchildren and two brothers, Erick Witt, of Hankinson, and Paul Witt, of Milwaukee, WI. One daughter (Leva) preceded her in death in the year of 1924.

Funeral services were conducted last Thursday afternoon from the Milnor Lutheran Church, Rev. A. J. Gravald officiating.

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May 26, 1938

#### MCKEE DIED

Word was received by Emil Jaeger that his uncle, Mr. John Vlanski, passed away Monday at his home in Shelby, MT. Mr. Vlanski was well known in Hankinson, having visited here a number of times.

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May 26, 1938

# DEATH ANGEL CALLS TWO HOME

### Hugo Hell Passed AWay

This community was greatly shocked when news reached here that Hugo Hell had passed away at the St. Franchis Hospital in Breckenridge, MN. Deceased was taken ill last week and on Friday was taken to the ST. Francis Hospital, where he passed away at 7:30 o'clock. Funeral arrangements have not yet been made, awaiting word from his mother, who is in Detroit, MI., at the present.

A complete obituary will be published next week.

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June 2, 1938

# MRS. EMMA SHERMAN

After years of suffering, patiently borne, Mrs. Emma Sherman passed away at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Hentz on Wednesday evening of this week. Mrs. Sherman had been an invalid during the last IO years of her life and during the last three years had been almost entirely confined to her bed.

Emma Foeltz was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. August Foeltz and was born in Carlstadt, near Nuehrenberg, in the Province of Pommerania, Germany on March 13, 1869. When she

was six years old the family moved to America and settled in Wisconsin. Later they moved to Hankinson. The deceased was married to John Sherman about 50 years ago.

On July 25th, 1928, while visiting with her sister, Mrs. Ida Nelson at Miles City, MT., Mrs. Sherman suffered a stroke from which ahe never recovered. In September of the same year she returned to Hankinson and since then has made her home with her sister, Mrs. John Hentz. Early this spring she was brought to the hospital in this city to receive treatment, but later was again taken to the Hentz home where she passed away at about 8 o'clock in the evening of Wednesday, June 1st.

She leaves to mourn her four sisters; Mrs. Amelia Falk, of Hankinson, Mrs. Anna Frankfurth, of Kennan, WI., Mrs. Ida Nelson, of Miles City, MT., Mrs. Mathilda Hentz of Hankinson, and William Foeltz, of Detroit Lakes, MN.

Funeral services are to be held on Saturday afternoon, June 4th, beginning at 1:40 o' clock at the home of Mrs. Falk in this city, and being continued at Emmanuel Evangelical Church. Interment will be made in the cemetery of Emmanuel Church. The sympathy of the community is extended to the sorrowing relatives and friends.

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June 2, 1938

# VOSS, LAMARS, IS KILLED IN CRASH

Edwin Voss, 47, Fairmount, died in the Breckenridge Hospital Sunday about 24 hours after his neck was broken when the car in which he was riding ran into a ditch east of there.

The car was slightly damaged and the three other occupants suffered only minor injuries. Miss Blanche Barton, of Breckenridge, was the driver and the other two women in the car were Mrs. Atlee Barton and Mrs. Florence Barton, both of Breckenridge. The four had been riding around a lake east of Breckenridge and Miss Barton apparently drove to close to the road's shoulder.

Funeral services were held Wednesday at Rosholt, SD., with burial at Pearl City, IL.

He leaves four brothers, Charles and Irwin, of Rosholt, John, of Pearl City, and William of
White Rock, SD.; five sisters, Mrs. Porter Snyder and Mrs. Niles Walters, of Fairmount, Mrs.

Manuel Nelson, of White Rock, Mrs. Theodore Lien, of Hankinson, and Mrs. Marvin Lueck, of
Marshall, MN.

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June 2, 1938

WAHPETON....Funeral services will be held Saturday afternoon at 1:30 from the Probert home for W. C. Probert, prominent pioneer business man who passed away early Tuesday morning.

\* \* \* \* \* \* \* \* \* \* \* June 2, 1938

LAMARS....Mr. Ed Vosa, of Fairmount, was seriously hurt in a car accidnet Sunday night and died early Monday morning. The accident took place near Breckenridge.

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June 2, 1938

# "PAT" GAFFNEY DIED IN REDWOOD

Patrick Gaffney, for many years a live stock commission man on the South St. Paul market and known in Hankinson as "Pat" died shortly before noon Tuesday in the hospital at Redwood Falls, MN. Death followed a heart attack he suffered Saturday.

Mr. Gaffney, many years ago, made this home with the Jim Fogarty's of this community.

\* \* \* \* \* \* \* \* \* \* \* June 9, 1938

### PIONEER WOMAN DIED YESTERDAY

Early on Wednesday morning of this week, June 8th, death came to Mrs. Ottillie Radloff, well known and highly respected resident of the Lidgerwood community, who numbered many people of Hankinson and vicinity among her friends.

Ottillie Gruenholz was born in Germany on April 19th, 1864. In 1883 she came to America and at once went to Casselton, ND., where she found employment. There she met Mr. Carl Radloff and they were married on Nov. 17th, 1886. After their marriage they lived at Casselton for three years. In 1889 they came to Lidgerwood and settled on a farm southwest of there. Mr. Radloff passed away on Jan. 6th, 1932.

She leaves to mourn her, one daughter, Mrs. Frieda Schultz and four sons, William, Otto, Emil and Edward, all of Lidgerwood community., five grandchildren, two sisters and one brother, all of whom still reside in Germany.

Funeral services are to be held on this (Friday) afternoon, beginning at the house of mourning at 1:30 o'clock and being continued at St. John's Evangelical Church in Lidgerwood. Rev. Eyrich will officiate at the funeral.

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June 9, 1938

### OBITUARY

Many in this community were saddened last week, when they learned of the passing of Hugo Hell, a well known young man of this community, at the hospital in Breckenridge.

Hugo William Hell was the son of Mr. and Mrs. John Hell and was born at Fairfax, OK., on July 6th, 1902. In 1907 they came to Hankinson and established their home on a farm a few miles southeast of the city.

He leaves to mourn him his aged mother, Mrs. Margaret Hell; one brother Walter; four sisters, Mrs. Alma Roe, of Detroit, MI., Mrs. Olga Lambert, of Verndale, MN., Mrs. Martha Grob, of Hankinson and Miss Edna Hell, of Detroit, MI.; other more distant relatives and friends.

Funeral services were held on Sunday afternoon, June 5th, at the Wipperman Chapel, beginning at 4 o'clock. Rev. Eyrich conducted the services.

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June 9, 1938.

### O. C. NEUMAN DIES

# COL. F. B. RUDDY DIED THURSDAY

Col. F. B. Ruddy passed away this (Thursday) morning at the Krump Hospital at the age of 58 years. His five children were at the bedside at the time of death.

Mr. Ruddy was taken ill last fall with typhoid fever and was confined to the hospital for many months. He had been in poor health ever since and last Thursday he became very ill and was taken to the hospital, where he passed away just after nine o'clock today.

Col. Ruddy was born in Nebraska and later moved to Iowa. He homesteaded at Driscol,

ND., about thirty years ago. He came to Hankinson eighteen years ago and has resided here ever since, conducting a large business as auctioneer. He was married in 1908 and to to this union five children were born, all of whom survive. Bernard, and Virginia, of Fargo; Daniel, of Page, Catherine, of Walker and George, of Fort Peck, MT. His wife preceded him in death passing away in 1932 at Neevis, MN.

Funeral services will be held Saturday at the Catholic Church in Neevis, MN.

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June 16, 1938

# R. W. HANKINSON KILLED IN CRASH

R. W. Hankinson, grandson, of the late R. H. Hankinson, and one of the founders of this city, Minneapolis grain man, was killed Friday night when his car struck a ditch and catapulated 50 feet through the air five miles west of Sauk Center

Charles McCasland, of Davenport, IA., hitch hiker bound for Moorhead on his vacation, whom Hankinson had picked up at Melrose, was in critical condition in a Sauk Center Hospital from injuries suffered in the smash up.

Mr. Hankinson, a representative of the Frank H. Higgins Grain Co., 920 Chamber of Commerce, lived at 5011 Aldrich Avenue S.

Hankinson's body was found 75 feet from the wreckage of his car. George Aldous, of Sauk Center, who saw the accident in the rear view mirror of his car, said Hankinson's car struck a dip in the highway, plunged off the road, leaped high into the air and crashed.

Mr. Hankinson is survived by his wife, two sons, Herbert 17, and Richard, Jr., 13; his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert L. Hankinson, and a sister, Mrs. Burr Howe, all of Minneapolis.

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June 16, 1938

SONORA...Mr. William Spellerberg received the sad news telling of the death of his mother in Argyle, MO. Mr. and Mrs. Spellerberg and family motored there to attend the funeral returning home on Wednesday.

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June 16, 1938

# DEATH OF RAIL WORKER UNCLE OF JOE MONGOVEN

Michael Traufler, N. P. railroad conductor died when he fell from a train near Little Falls, MN., Saturday, and an inquest is being conducted in an attempt to learn more of the cause of death. Traufler's body was discovered by Steve Chast, Minneapolis, after two freights had passed over it. Deceased is an uncle of Mr. Joe Mongoven of this city.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Mongoven and son, Michael, left for Minneapolis on Monday to attend the funeral. Mr. Mongoven was one of the pallbearers.

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June 16, 1938

# FATHER DUERR DIED TUESDAY

Father Paul Duerr, of Lidgerwood, died Tuesday evening at 9:15 following an illness dating from last September, at the age of 59 years.

Father Duerr was born in Germany and following his immigration to the United States studied at Achison, KS., and Collegeville, MN. In 1909 he was named pastor of the St. Boniface Catholic Church. There he served for 29 years.

Funeral services will be conducted by Bishop Muench, of Fargo, at Lidgerwood, Friday morning at 10:30, which will be attended by a host of mourners from throughout the Richland and Sargent communities he has served so faithfully.

His sister, Rose, of Lidgerwood, survives.

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June 30, 1938

#### TRAGIC DEATH STRIKES TWICE

Viola Wisnewski, of Cayuga, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Wisnewski, died Sunday in Breckenridge from injuries sustained when a car driven by Lawrence Bauch missed a turn northeast of Cayuga, went over an embankment, struck a huge stone and toppled end over end, a mess of wreckage. The other occupants of the car were injured.

The family have been very unfortunate. About seven years ago the young son of Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Wisnewski fell from a horse, his foot catching in the saddle and when the horse arrived home, the lad's head was beaten to a pulp, death ensuing.

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June 30, 1938

Mr. and Mrs. F. O. Healy and son, and Mrs. Effie Healy, returned the latter part of the week from Mapleton, WI., where they attended the funeral of Mr. Heley's uncle.

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June 30, 1938

## C. A. CHINBERG DIED IN MINN.

Mr. C. A. Chinberg passed away at his home in Little Falls, MN., on Friday. Funeral services were held in Little Falls Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Umbriet received the sad news from Milwaukee telling of the death of their granddaughter, who died of whooping cough and pneumonia. Mrs. Umbreit left Friday morning to attend the funeral. .....GREAT BEND....

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July 7, 1938

# MRS. J. W. RYDELL OF ROSHOLT DIED

ROSHOLT....Mrs. J. W. Rydell, wife of the former postmaster, J. W. Rydell, (deceased) passed away at her home in Fort Dodge, IA., on July 5th. The cause of death was a heart attack.

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July 7, 1938

### PIONEER CITIZEN DIED SATURDAY

William Ziegelman, 81, a North Dakota resident for over half a century, one of the pioneers of the Great Bend country, died at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Robert Zietlow in East Grand Forks, on Saturday morning about 7 o'clock. Mr. Ziegelman, in spite of his advanced years had been in good health. He arose Saturday morning as usual. Upon his calling her, Mrs. Zietlow hastened to the bedroom, but found that he had already passed away.

Mr. Ziegelman had been born in Pommerania, Germany, on Nov. 16th, 1856. In 1872, he came, with his parents, to Mayville, WI., a few years later moving to Great Bend. On April 3, 1881, he was married to Miss Augusta Baumann who preceded him in death about 16 years

ago. In 1922 he retired from farming and moved to Hankinson. About four years ago he moved to East Grand Forks to make his home with his daughters.

He is survived by one sister, Mrs. John Worner, of Wheaton, MN., and the following children: Mrs. Amanda Zietlow, E. Grand Forks, Mrs. Augusta Pieper, Battle Lake, MN., Mrs. Emilie Wimer, E. Grand Forks, Robert, Great Bend, Emil, Enderlin, Mrs. Hulda Habel, Maywood, IL., also 20 grandchildren, and 8 great-grandchildren. Six children passed away before the parents.

After a brief service in a Grand Forks funeral parlor the body was shipped to Hankinson to be buried at the side of Mrs. Ziegelman in the Lutheran Cemetery north of town. Services were conducted on Wednesday afternoon with Rev. J. P. Klausler in charge.

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July 14, 1938

GREAT BEND....Mr. William Ziegelman died suddenly Saturday morning at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Robert Zietlow at Grand Forks. The body will be shipped to Hankinson. Funeral services were held Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Rev. Klausler officiated.

He leaves to mourn five daughters and two sons: Mrs. Robert Zietlow, of Grand Forks, Mrs. Roy Weiner, of Grand Forks, Mrs. Wm. Pieper, of Battle Lake, MN., Hulda and Laura of Chicago, Robert, of Great Bend, and Emil, of Enderlin.

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July 14, 1938

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Barfknecht returned from Stanley, WI., Wednesday afternoon after attending the funeral of Mrs. Barfknecht's uncle, who died in Spokane, WA.

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July 14, 1938

NEW EFFINGTON....Mr. Ingman Olson returned last Thursday from Coleman, SD., where he attended the funeral services of his sister, Mrs. Dan Landis.

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July 14, 1938

# FUNERAL FOR ALBERT MATTHIAS

Sudden death came to Albert Matthias, July 7th, at 3:30 PM following a short illness. Funeral services were held from the house at 1 o'clock PM and at 3:30 o'clock at the Zion Church west of Colfax, Sunday afternoon with Rev. Breo officiating.

Albert Matthias was a pioneer Barney resident and well liked by all who knew him. He was born Nov. 4th, 1879, at Cedar Falls, IA. In 1899 he was united in marriage to Alvina Ista, of Colfax. They lived in Colfax for two years where he was employed in an elevator and in the year 1903 they came to Barney where he operated a general merchandise store until the last few years.

Besides his wife he leaves three children, Mrs. L. W. Jentz, of Mantador, Charley and Lillian, of Barney. \* \* \* \* \* \* \* \* \* \* \* \* \* July 14, 1938

# FORMER RESIDENT DIED IN ST. PAUL

Word was received in Hankinson, Wednesday, telling of the death of E. G. Green, 23 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Everard Green. The funeral will be held Friday morning. Mrs. John Green and sons, E. W. and John and Mrs. M. S. Aker will attend the funeral. Death was caused by heart failure. Surviving are his parents and five sisters.

#### ALICE RASMUSSEN DIED IN ORTONVILLE

ROSHOLT....Alice Rasmussen, formerly of this place, but for the past year living in Sisseton, died at an Ortonville, MN., Hospital, Sunday at 11 AM.

She had been ailing for some time and was taken to the hospital on the preceding Friday. Upon a thorough examination, it was found she had an internal ruptured ulcer, and it was then her physicians saw there was no help for her. She remained conscious during her operation, and when told of her hopeless condition, still thought she would recover.

Her funeral was held Wednesday from Bethania Church, Rev. James Falk officiating, and interment was made in the Rosholt Cemetery west of town, beside the remains of her husband who preceded her in death 18 years ago.

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July 21, 1938

HAMMER....Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Bremseth and Mr. and Mrs. Gunder Hammer returned on Wednesday from Milan, MN., where they attended the funeral services for an uncle of Mr. Bremseth.

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July 21, 1938

NEW EFFINGTON....Mr. George Harris, formerly of New Effington, but for the past six years a resident of Wahpeton, passed away Monday, July 11th. His death was due to a heart attack.

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July 28, 1938

#### STATE LINE PIONEER DIED

Herman Moen passed to the Great Beyond at a little past 1 o'clock last Sunday morning, July 24th. Mr. Moen had been quite ill for more than two weeks, but nobody realized that the end was so near. About two weeks ago he suffered an attack of what was then diagnosed as pneumonia, and later uremic poisoning set in, which greatly complicated his condition. Dr. Pearson and a trained nurse did everything possible to relieve his suffering and if possible bring him back to health, but all to no avail. As the hour hand neared the midnight mark he fell into a coma and an hour later the end had come.

Herman H. Moen was born in the township of Cerro Gordo, in Lac qui Paris County, MN., his parents being, Haagen Moen and Sigri Moen, born Saetran. The date of his birth was Oct. 14th, 1876, so that he was 61 years, 9 months and 10 days old at the time of his death.

At the age of 16 he was confirmed in the Borgund Church in Cerro Gordo Township by Rev. Hoff, and has always been a communicat of the Lutheran Church. At the age of 21, in 1897, he came to Roberts County and bought the relinquishment to the northeast quarter in Section 26, Minnesota Township and this has been his home ever since.

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August 4, 1938

# JACOB BAKER DIED TUESDAY

Jacob Baker, 67, died Tuesday morning at 2:45 following a short illness. Funeral services will be held at 10 o'clock Friday from St. Phillip's Church. Deceased was a pensioneer of the Soo Line being retired from section work three years ago.

Jacob Baker was born July 12th, 1871 at Ovenhoff, Austria. He was married to Anna Karst, also of Ovenhoff, Austria in 1901. They came to the U. S. A. in 1907 with their small dau-

ghter, Margaret, who is now Mrs. John Bommersbach, Jr., and settled in Hankinson where they have since made their home.

To this union ten children were born, LaVerne, Lorain, Leonard and Peter, who are at home and Elizabeth of Minneapolis, Joseph, of Balton, MT., John, of Breckenridge and Margaret, Mrs. John Bommersbach, Jr., of Hankinson. His wife and two children, Rose and Mary, preceded him in death. One sister survives him, Mrs. Elizabeth Born.

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August 4, 1938

### MRS. GEORGE STRUBEL DIED TODAY

As we go to press today we learn that Mrs. George Strubel died in a Fargo Hospital. An obituary will be published next week.

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August 4, 1938

#### GRIM REAPER CALLS

FAIRMOUNT....Funeral services were held Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock for Mrs. C. P. Feely, who passed away at her home Thursday evening, July 28th.

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August 4, 1938

# FUNERAL SERVICES

Last Thursday afternoon Rev. Eyrich officiated at funeral services for John Libke, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Libke, of the Lidgerwood community. The funeral services were held from the house of mourning southwest of Lidgerwood.

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August 11, 1938

#### STATE LINE PIONEER DIED

Mr. Martin Rand, residing northeast of New Effington, died at a Sisseton Hospital last night. Funeral services will be held at the church north of Victor, but the date is not yet set. Deceased was 72 years old.

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August 11, 1938

### FORMER HANKINSON RESIDENT DIED

James Burrows, of Sheynne, ND., formerly of this city, passed away Friday evening at a Carrington Hospital, at the age of 75 years and 17 days. He had been in poor health for the past year and for the past three months had been a patient at the Carrington Hospital. His remains were brought here from Carrington Saturday evening for burial here.

Deceased was born in Pakinham, Canada on July 19th, 1863, one of a family of eight children. He grew to manhood in Pakinhan and in 1885 came to North Dakota, homesteading near Cayuga. He was married at Milnor, ND., in 1891, to Julia Hudson, of Fergus Falls, MN., formerly of Pakinham. To this union six children were born, four of whom survive. Later the family moved to Geneseo, where Mr. Burrows engaged in farming. They moved to this city where they lived many years. Mr. Burrows being in business here. They also resided in Lidgerwood, where he was engaged in business. His wife passed away in 1906 at the age of 35 years.

Funeral services were held Monday at 10 o'clock at St. Philip's Catholic Chruch, with Rev. Myron Schuh officiating. Pallbearers were Mike Kinn, Dr. D. E. Ryan, Leo Brinkman, E. P. LaQua, Matt Hammerschmidt and George Wirtz. He was laid to rest in Calvary Cemetery beside his wife.

Surviving are one daughter, Marjorie, of Hankinson, three sons, James and Arthur, of Sheyenne, ND., and William, of Little Falls, one sister, Mrs. Margaret McLeod, and one brother, John, both of North Bay, Ontario, Canada. A son, Claude passed away two years ago.

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August 11, 1938

#### AUTO CRASH TAKES ONE LIFE: INJURES SEVEN

Harold Moore, was killed in an auto accident near Havana, Sunday morning, when a car in which eight were returning from a dance turned over three times. Nelson Kitchen, Eugene Clinton and Leo Hendricks, all of Missouri, were injured.

Three Lidgerwood girls were in the accident, Helen Rybus, Grace Kuehn, Margaret Prasek and Marion Pasek, all of whom were cut and bruised. Moore suffered a fractured leg and a punctured lung which was the cause of death. Kitchen was driving and failed to negotiate a turn in the road.

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August 11, 1938

NEW EFFINGTON....Mr. T. Bredvik, H. Bredvik, Nels and Gordon Beito motored to Hoopel, ND., where they attended the funeral of Mr. T. Bredvik's mother-in-law.

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August 18, 1938

### OBITUARY

Bertha Strubel, nee Borman, was born at Mayville, WI., on June 6th, 1874, and died August 4th, 1938, in a Fargo Hospital of a lingering illness. She was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gottfried Borman and when yet a small child they moved to a farm at Wassau, WI. She came to Great Bend, ND., in the fall of 1901 and on Feb. 4th, 1902, she was married to George Strubel and to that union two daughters were born. They resided on a farm near Great Bend until the spring of 1919, when they moved to Hankinson, ND., where she resided until the time of her death.

### JOHN WALL KILLED IN IOWA ACCIDENT

A telegram was received here Monday, announcing the accidental death of Mr. John Wall, of Olweta, IA. No details of the accident were told.

Mrs. Wall, a daughter of Mrs. Albert Erb, of this city, and her husband resided in Hankinson many years ago, he being employed on the Soo Line here.

Adolph Erb, Mrs. Albert Erb and Mrs. Matt Kinn left Wednesday to attend the funeral.

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### PIONEER WOMAN DIED MONDAY

Mrs. Mary Anne White beloved pioneer woman of this community passed quietly into the Great Beyond at 11:20 o'clock Monday evening, August 15th, following a severe illness of some ten days duration.

Mary Anne White (Keating) was born at Mount Hope, WI., Dec. 30th, 1858, of parents, Mr. and Mrs. Michael Keating. At this place she grew to womanhood. On May 15th, 1875, she moved, with her father, to their homestead three miles southwest of Wahpeton.

She was united in marriage to Patrick White at Wahpeton, on January 28th, 1878. To this union nine children were born. In 1881 Mr. and Mrs. White moved to DeVillo Station, where she resided on their farm until 1931 when she moved to the old Frank Craft farm north of Fairmount to spend the remaining years of her life.

For some time past she had been ailing, although up and about her daily duties and it was not until ten days preceding her death that she became seriously fill. She was removed to the St. Franchis Hospital at Breckenridge and on Tuesday, August 9th, submitted to a major surgical operation. However, her ailment and old age proved too big a burden to bear, and death graciously relieved her of further pain and earthly cares, Monday evening. She attained the age of 79 years, 7 months and 15 days.

She was preceded in death by her husband, who died in March of 1919 and two daughters, Margaret and Inez. Margaret passed away in February of 1898 and Inez in infancy on December 3rd, 1897. The surviving children were at her bedside as she passed away.

During her many years of residence in this community, Mary Anne White had always been a kind and loving neighbor to all who knew her and the entire community mourns her passing. She had been an active member of St. Anthony's Church since its organization.

Besides a host of friends and admirers she leaves seven children to mourn her passing; E. C. White, Minneapolis; Mike White, Hankinson; J. J. White, Chicago; Mrs. Agnes Halstad, Minneapolis, Mrs. Mary Toma, Minneapolis; and Miss Kathryn White, Fairmount.

Requiem Solemn High Mass will be sung at St. Anthony Church, Fairmount, this morning, (Thursday) at 9:30 o'clock. Interment will be made in Calvary Cemetery.

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August 18, 1938

# FUNERAL FOR MRS. SNYDER

Funeral services were held for Mrs. B. E. Snyder at Fairmount Friday afternoon.

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### FAIL TO INDICT DEATH CAR DRIVER

#### ROBERTS PIONEER DIED

NEW EFFINGTON....John Francis Kalepie, pioneer of Enterprise Township died last Tuesday. He was born in Springfield, IL., and when twenty three years old moved to Roberts County and settled on a homestead. George, of Montana; Lesis, of Claire City; Carl of Sisseton and Mrs. Theo. Sundahl, of New Effington, survive.

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August 18, 1938

# CAYUGA RESIDENT ACCUSED OF KILLING 37-DAY OLD BABY

A coroner's jury convening in Hillsboro yesterday returned a verdict that the 37-day-old baby of Florence Paecker, of Oriska, domestic on the Phil Gugel farm near Blanchard, had died of suffocation "at hands of a person unknown."

#### WALL DIED IN CAR CAVE-IN

Mrs. Albert Erb and son, Adolph, returned Sunday morning from Olwein, IA., where they were called by the death of Mr. John Wall.

Mr. Wall was accidentally killed while at work in Evingston, WY. He and his two sons, Leonard and James, were employed by a large steel corporation. Their work was to cut steel cars. The one which he had been working on collapsed. Mr. Wall was pinned under a portion of the steel. His head was badly cut and his skull hurt. He was rushed to a hospital and an operation was performed and a few hours later he passed away.

Funeral services were held at Olwein Friday. Mr. Wall leaves his wife and nine children to mourn their loss. Mrs. Matt Kinn, of this city, a sister of Mrs. Wall also attended the funeral.

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August 18, 1938

### HARLAN PARSELL DIED

FAIRMOUNT....Death struck suddenly in this community Tuesday afternoon, calling Harlan B. Parsell, a resident of Fairmount since 1909, to his final rest.

Funeral services will be held from the Fairmount Baptist Church with Dr. C. C. Williams officiating: \* \* \* \* \* \* \* \* \* \* \* August 18, 1938

LAMARS....The funeral of Mrs. B. E. Snyder was largely attended Friday by scores of friends and relatives. The Bethany Church was filled and as many were unable to get in. Some fitting songs were sung by Rev. and Mrs. Layton Tier. Mrs. Tier also read the obituary and a beautiful poem in tribute to a dear friend.

#### EDWARD MARTIN FUNERAL HELD

Funeral services for Ed Martin, who met tragic death at his home southeast of Hankinson, were conducted from the St. Philip's Church here Wednesday.

Martin was found by his partner, Walter Bork and his neighbor, Jerry Medenwaldt, whom Walter had called after hearing the two shots which ended Martin's life.

Coroner Schmidt was called and rendered a verdict of suicide following a hearing. Bork was in the yard when Martin came over and said "goodbye." The man then went into the kitchen, and shortly later Bork heard two pistol shots. Bork decided to call a neighbor before he went to investigate. When he returned with his neighbor they found Martin lying on the floor with two bullet holes in his body, one near the heart, and the other struck his heart. Powder had burned his clothing.

Edward Martin, son of Mrs. George Bladow, was born in 1903. In 1935 he was united in marriage to Miss Margaret Fallon, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Fallon. To this union two children were born, the youngest being six months old. Deceased was an industrious young man and was enjoying a success in farming. His untimely death is a great shock to his many friends and relatives.

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September 1, 1938

### MARTIN HEMMERLING DIED SATURDAY

Martin Hemmerling, resident of Hankinson since 1900, died at his home Saturday night, following an illness of only one day. Funeral services were held at the Catholic Church Tuesday at 9 o'clock. Fr. Schuh officiated.

Martin Hemmerling was born in Bruckenthal, Germany in 1856. In 1882 he was married to Margaret Bakere. To this union eight children were born. In 1900 he came to Hankinson and for fifteen years he was employed by the Great Northern Railway and later by the Hankinson Nursery Co.

Surviving to mourn their loss: his wife; two daughters, Mrs. Frank Bommersbach, Forman; Mrs. Cath South, of Spokane WA.; two sons, Peter, Straubville; Adam, Ellendale, also 19 grandchildren and 13 great-grandchildren.

Pallbearers: Mr. Peter DeFea, Mr. Ed. P. LaQua, Mr. Sabin Maurer, Mr. Martin Eberhardt, Mr. Sebastian Portner and Mr. John Wolfe.

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September 1, 1938

Miss Theone Williams, who is employed at the Bickerton home, received news that her Grandfather, H. A. Hurley, of San Diego, CA., passed away. She will leave Thursday for Clinton, where the funeral will be held.

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September 1, 1938

### ERNIE BAKER PASSED AWAY AT WHEATON

ROSHOLT....Ernie Baker, who was in the Myhre car when it was hit by another car last week, died at the Wheaton Hospital, on Thursday, Sept. lst. He was badly injured in the smash up on August 25th, when he had three ribs broken and other injuries sustained. He

# SERVICES HELD FOR ANTON VOHANKA

LIDGERWOOD....Funeral services were held Tuesday in Bohemian Hall for Anton Vohanka 56 year old World War Veteran and holder of the Croix de Guerre, who died August 26th in Bismarck.

Burial was in Czesko-Norodne-Hrobitov. Pall bearers were James Hrusa, Tim Lynch, E. D. Hanson, Frank Kadot, John Hrusa and Edward Koucky.

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September 8, 1938

Mrs. Bob Bellin and Miss Esther Belin went to Nashua Sunday to attend the funeral of Mr. Herman Rogahn. \* \* \* \* \* \* \* \* \* \* \* \* \* \* September 8, 1938

### FRANK KUBACKI DIED

Frank Kubacki, of Kingston Township, passed away Saturday at 4 PM., following a stroke the previous Monday night. Funeral services were held Tuesday, Sept. 6th, at 9:30 AM in the St. Martin Church at Geneseo, Rev. T. A.Kupka officiated.

Frank Kubacki was born at Great Bend, ND., May 2nd, 1880, and with his parents moved to the King farm three miles south and one and a half miles west of Geneseo. Some years ago he lived in Cayuga where he conducted a grocery business with Max Wexler former Hankinson merchant, which he sold out and entered a land agency and farm implement business. In 1933 he moved to his farm in Kingston Township.

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September 15, 1938

### FREDRICK GAST DIED WEDNESDAY

Fredrick Carl Gast, of Great Bend, died Sept, 14th, at 3:40 AM., following an illness of six months duration.

Funeral services will be held at the St. John's Evangelical Church Saturday, Sept. 17th, at 2 o'clock, Rev. Schumacher conducting the service.

Fredrick Gast came to America from Germany with his parents, when three years of age. In 1892 he came to Richland County and settled in Summit Township, where he made his home until a year ago, when he moved to Great Bend. He was married in 1893 and ten children blessed the union.

Surviving are eight sons and daughters: Mrs. Adolph Ziegelman, Mrs. August Ziegelman, George Gast, Mrs. Alfred Koppelman, Arthur Gast, Mrs. Wm. Mueller, Mrs. Herbert Hoefs, Henry Gast, Reinhard Gast, Durham, CA., Allen Gast, San Francisco, CA.

Nephews of the deceased will act as pallbearers, Honorary pallbearers will be: Herman Hellewege, Henry Ehlers, Henry Koppelman, Theo. Bohn, John Damon and L. J. Thimjon.

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O. J. Pederson and son, Oscar, and daughter, Irene, autoed to Lac Qui Parle County, MN., last Saturday, where they attended the funeral services for a friend of Mr. Pederson.

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September 15, 1938

### SISTER ORGANIA DIED FRIDAY

Sister Organia, who has served the Sisters of St. Francis in the United States since 1913, died at the St. Francis Academy on Friday evening, Sept. 16th at the age of 59 years.

Sister Organia immigrated from her home in Bavaria, Germany, in 1913, coming with a group of sisters of the Order of St. Francis. She went to Collegeville, where she served at their institution.

She was taken ill last October and was brought to Hankinson, where she has since been confined to the academy hospital rooms. Funeral services were held at St. Philip's Church Monday morning, Rev. Fr. Isidore, Academy Chaplain, conducting the services. Burial was made in the new cemetery just south of the Academy.

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September 22, 1938

### WITNESS BAD ACCIDENT

NEW EFFINGTON....All Roberts county people were shocked Sunday by the news that Arthur Hanson, popular 20 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Hanson of Lien Township, had taken his own life Saturday evening while alone at the farm four miles south of New Effington.

His body was found hanging in the barn.

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September 22, 1938

# FUNERAL HELD FOR MRS. HAMERLIK

Funeral services were conducted Monday morning at 9 o'clock from St. Adalbert's Church for Mrs. Matt Hamerlik, who passed away at her home Friday, Sept. 23rd. She had been an invalid for the past two years. She came here in 1887 with her husband from Austria and made her home here ever since. Mr. Hamerlik survives his wife.

Mary Johanna Kunas was born March 25, 1860, at Prague, Austria, and was married there in 1880. The young couple together with two of their children came to the United States in 1887 and came directly to Wahpeton. Mr. Hamerlik worked on farms in this vicinity, later for the railroad and then for the city of Wahpeton as city teamster for 28 consecutive years without missing a day's work. He then became caretaker for the city parks and the library.

Mrs. Hamerlik was actively interested in St. Adalbert's Ladies' Aid and was a devout member of St. Adalbert's church. Children who survive are: Mrs. Ann Schuett, Hankinson; Mrs. Christine Ruth Rost, So. St. Paul; Mrs. Catherine Walters, Minneapolis; John Hamerlike, Crookston, MN.; and Frank Hamerlik, Brushvale. Eleanor died at the age of 17, Mary at 9 and another daughter, Mary at 5. All of the children with their families were here for the last rites. There are 11 grandchildren, and six great-grandchildren.

Present were: Mr. and Mrs. George Schuett and children, Mr. and Mrs. William R. Rost and son, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Walter and son, Mr. and Mrs. John Hamerlik and children and Mrs. Frank Hamerlik and children.

Rev. Janda officiated at rites at St. Adalbert's Cemetery in the family lot. Pall-bearers were six grandchildren: George Schuett, Jr., Marvin Walters, Warren Schuett, Stan-ley Schuett, John Hamerlik and William Hamerlik.

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September 29, 1938

# HUSBAND OF MADELINE LEE KILLED IN ACCIDENT

EVANSVILLE, MN....Mrs. I. S. Satre received a message Monday morning stating that Kirk Hinson had been killed while on his way to visit his mother whose home is at Enid, OK. Mr. Hinson, whose home is at St. Louis, MO., was the husband of Miss Madeline Lee who is a sister of Mrs. Sattre. Mr. and Mrs. Sattre accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Knute Lee and Leland, of Wannaska, MN., left for St. Louis, MO., Monday afternoon.

BELFORD....Rev. and Mrs. Cordts and family motored to Edgely, ND., Saturday where they attended the funeral of Rev. W. H. Rueter. Death being caused from a blood clot in his leg. The deceased was 29 years old.

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September 29, 1938

#### LAVINE SCHLOTFELDT DIED IN HOSPITAL

Lavine Schlotfeldt, of Lidgerwood, whose injury thru being burned in an automobile accident near Lidgerwood on Sept. 4th was noted in this paper, succumbed to her injuries in the hospital at Wahpeton, on Friday morning, Sept. 23rd.

Lavine Lillian Schlotfeldt, was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Schlotfeldt and was born near Lidgerwood on August 2nd, 1922. With the exception of about two years, her life was spent in Richland County, the present home of the family being a few miles southwest of Lidgerwood.

In a most deplorable accident which occurred on Sunday morning, Sept. 4th, she was so severely burned that all efforts to restore her were in vain and she passed away at 7:15 o'clock on the morning of last Friday. She attained the age of 16 years, 1 month and 21 days.

She leaves to mourn her, her deeply sorrowing parents, three sisters and two brothers, her paternal grandfather, Mr. Henry Schlotfeldt, her maternal grandfather, Mr. Michael Wagner, and many other relatives and friends.

Funeral services were held on Sunday afternoon, Sept. 25th, at the Wolby Parlors and at St. John's Church in Lidgerwood. Rev. Eyrich offiating at the services. Norma Bladow and Lois Worner of this city sang three beautiful numbers at the church. The sympathy of the community is extended in sincerety to the sorrowing relatives and friends.

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September 29, 1938

#### MRS. WILLIAM BOELKE DIED THURSDAY

A life of unselfish and devoted service came to an end when, last Thursday afternoon, Mrs. Emilie Boelke of this city, closed her eyes in death at the Wahpeton Hospital.

Mrs. Emilie Boelke, nee Eckert, was born on Jan. 16, 1854, in Brandenburg, Germany, and was brought as an orphan child of 10 years to Horican, WI., in 1864. In 1872 she married John Schroeder. Seven children were born to this union, of whom the following are still living: Carl, in New York; Henry, in Portland, OR.; Frank, in So. St. Paul; and Herman, in Excelsior, MN.

After the death of her first husband she was married to Wm. Boelke. To this union three children were born, the eldest dying in infancy; Ella, (Mrs. Ladske Mauer), who died in 1927, leaving three small children for Mrs. Boelke to care for; and Arnold, of this city. The following of her step-children are also living: Paul, Robert, Emil Boelke, of Great Bend; Louise, (Mrs. Mike Kinn), of this city; and Minnie, (Mrs. Emil Koppelman), of Great Bend, and Bertha (Mrs. Otto Stein), also of Great Bend.

She is also survived by one sister, living in Chicago, and by 34 grandchildren and 17 great-grandchildren.

Mrs. Boelke passed away last Thursday after a lengthy illness. She was laid to rest at the side of her husband, who preceded her in death 17 years ago. Services were conducted by Rev. J. P. Klausler in the local Lutheran Church.

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October 6, 1938

NEW EFFINGTON....The community was deeply grieved to hear of the sudden death of a former resident, Mrs. O. O. Hafstad, of Veblen, who passed away Sunday morning. The community extends heartfeldt sympathy.

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October 6, 1938

### CHILD DIED

MANTADOR....Francis Clair, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Math Thiel, passed away at the St. Francis Hospital Tuesday morning from pneumonia.

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October 6, 1938

# MRS. JOHN P. CUFFE, EFFINGTON PIONEER, DIED

#### CLAIRE CITY PIONEER DIED AT MINOT

From the Minot, ND., Daily News we reprint an account of the death of Adolph Johnson a pioneer resident of the Claire City community, as follows:

#### KENNETH V. INGERSON

Kenneth V. Ingerson, of Minneapolis, MN., General Manager of the L. E. Streter Lumber Co., died Wednesday. Mr. Ingerson was born at Lester Prairie, MN. He is survived by his wife, Theodora M.; a daughter, Jean; a son, James D. Ingerson and three brothers, Ashley J. of Hankinson, ND.; Bruce, of Huron, SD.; Clifton, of Minocqua, WI.

Funeral services were held Siturday at 3 PM., at the Welander-Ouist Funeral Chapel, 2301 Dupont Ave. So. Burial was at Lakewood Cemetery.

Mr. A. J. Ingerson, returnd from Minneapolis, Sunday, where he attended the funeral \* \* \* \* \* \* \* \* \* \* of his brother. October 13, 1938

Mr. Bert Moore, of Minneapolis, is visiting in Hankinson this week. He came to attend the funeral of his niece, Mrs. Ormand Gowan, who died Sunday at her home in Doran, MN. \* \* \* \* \* \* \* \* \* \*

October 13, 1938

October 20, 1938

October 20, 1938

LAMARS....MRS. GOWIN DIED....Friends in this community were shocked to hear of the sudden death of Mrs. Orman Gowin, Sunday night. Mrs. Gowin was formerly Mrs. Cynthia \* \* \* \* \* \* \* \* \* \* Burns. October 13, 1938

# FATHER OF PETE JENSEN DIED WEDNESDAY

NEW EFFINGTON....August Jensen, pioneer resident of Roberts County, passed away at a Sisseton Hospital Wednesday night, following an illness of several years' duration. He had been confined to the hospital for the past two months. He was 73 years of age.

For a number of years he served as deputy game warden for this territory, resigning this position after his health failed several years ago. The funeral was held Friday afternoon at Browns Valley.

Surviving are three sons and a daughter. George and Mabel, of Roberts County, William, of Browns Valley and Pete, former Hankinson Cargill Manager, now at Mandan, ND.

# \* \* \* \* \* \* \* \* \* \* DEFENSE READY FOR CAYUGA BOY

CAYUGA....When the Rev. Father Stempel, of Cayuga learned that Dale Patten, a young man of that community, was charged with first degree murder, he immediately called Attorney A. Leslie, of Forman, asking if he were willing to defend the boy for a small collection from people of the community, to which Mr. Leslie consented and at once began investigation into the matter.

At a mass meeting at Cayuga last Thursday evening when about 300 persons were present, a collection for the defense fund was responded to in the amount of \$94.00.

Attorney Leslie is now working on the case which he finds to be quite complicated. We are informed that the Patten boy is held in the Hillsboro, ND., jail in connection with the death of a few weeks' old child. Friends of the boy here say the charges are ridiculous.

Miss Frances Burton went to Casselton, Sunday, where she attended the funeral of her \* \* \* \* \* \* \* \* \* October 20, 1938 Aunt, Mrs. Will Askew.

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### DEATH OF BROTHER

#### BROTHER DIED

Mr. Joseph Lugert, Sr., received the sad news that his brother, Charles, of Iowa, had passed away. Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Lugert left to attend the funeral.

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October 27, 1938

Mrs. C. A. Williams received a message from St. Paul, Monday morning bearing the sad news of the death of her mother. Mrs. Williams left for St. Paul that afternoon. Funeral services were held Wednesday at Cokato,

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October 27, 1938

#### WILLIAM NEHMER DIED TUESDAY

William Nehmer, 77, died at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Emil Brummond, Tuesday, after a two weeks' illness. Deceased was born in Lindbush, Germany in 1861, and came to the United States when he was 22 years old and later came to Richland County, where he secured a farm near Mantador. Several years ago he retired and made his home with relatives. About a year ago he came to Hankinson and has since made his home with his daughter. In 1881 he was united in marriage to Augusta Lierman, who passed away 12 years ago.

Five children survive: Mrs. Bert Zietlow, Mrs. Emil Brummond, Mrs. Herman Krause, of Waubay, William Nehmer, Jr., of Mantador, and Carl Nehmer, of Webster.

Funeral services will be held Friday at the Mr. and Mrs. Emil Brummond home at I o'clock and at Belford Lutheran Church at 1:30. Rev. Cordts will conduct the services.

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November 3, 1938

### CHARLES BISEK DIED

Mrs. Annetta Bisek received word of the death of her brother-in-law, Charles Bisek, who passed away at New Effington Sunday. Funeral services were held Tuesday from the Swedish Lutheran Church near New Effington. He leaves to mourn his wife and four children.

Mrs. Annette Bisek and Florence, Mrs. D. Meide and Mrs. Rose Wolf attended the funeral which was held Tuesday.

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# HERMAN GAST DIED FRIDAY

The many friends of Mr. Herman Gast, of near Wahpeton, were grieved to hear of his death which occurred Saturday morning at his home from pneumonia. He had been ill for over five years and has been in the hospital several times during his illness. He was 59.

Mr. Herman Gast was born on June 4th, 1879, in Richardson County, NE. In 1892 he came with his parents to North Dakota. He was united in marriage to Martha Stoltenow, of Great Bend. To this union eleven children were born.

His faithful wife, eleven children and eleven grandchildren and three brothers survive. Funeral services were Wednesday afternoon at 1 o'clock from his home and at 2 o'clock at the Immanuel Lutheran Church at Wahpeton, Rev. Becker officiating. Pallbearers were his six sons, Walter, Herman, Richard, Edward, Herbert and Leonard.

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November 10, 1938

#### CARL JOHNKE

Carl Johnke died at a local hospital Friday at 5 PM., following a three weeks' illness. Deceased was born in Germany in 1857, where he grew to manhood, and was married to Mary Verna. In 1884 they came to America, He settled on a farm twelve miles south of Hankinson, where he resided for many years. About 25 years ago he moved to Hankinson where they have since made their home.

Surviving are five children: Mrs. Robert Bladow, Herman, Otto, Carl and Albert Johnke. His wife preceded him in death 13 years ago.

Funeral services were held Sunday from the Wipperman Chapel, Rev. Osborn officiating. Burial was in the Hillside Cemetery.

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November 10, 1938

#### PETER HEMMERLING

Mr. Peter Hemmerling died Saturday in the Britton Hospital. He was 40 years old. He lived in Straubville, where he was section foreman. He is the son of Mrs. Martin Hemmerling of Hankinson.

Deceased leaves to mourn his wife and two sons. Funeral services were held Tuesday at Cogswell. Burial was made in Hankinson.

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November 10, 1938

### SON OF MR. AND MRS. ROBERT BOHN DIED

Funeral services were held at the Lutheran Church in Great Bend today for Monroe Bohn, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bohn, who died at the Breckenridge Hospital. Heart trouble was the cause of his death. Monroe was only 13 years old and the sympathy of the community is extended to the grieving parents and relatives.

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November 10; 1938

# SON OF MR. AND MRS. WALTER ROEDER DIED

The hearts of many of this community were touched with sorrow on Monday of this week, when it was learned that Harold Roeder, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Roeder, had passed away during the previous night. Harold had been ill for some time, but his sudden passing came as a great shock to his parents and other relatives.

Harold Roeder was born in Richland County, ND., on February 23, 1936. Never enjoying good health, he had much illness and physical difficulty to contend with during his short sojoun upon earth. After a last illness of several weeks' duration, he passed away on Monday, Nov. 14th, at about 3 o'clock in the morning.

He leaves to mourn him, his deeply sorrowing parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Roeder, four grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. August Roeder and Mr. Henry Milbrandt and other more

relatives and friends.

# LIDGEROOD PIONEER DIED

Philip Wirtenberger, pioneer Lidgerwood businessman, died Friday morning, following several weeks' illness. Funeral services were held Sunday, Rev. Sanaker officiating.

Mr. Wirtenberger was Lidgerwood's first grain buyer, and later opened a general store which he conducted for many years.

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November 17, 1938

#### MRS. EMILIE BLADOW DIED SATURDAY

Mrs. Emelie Bladow, pioneer mother of the Hankinson community passed away at a local hospital Saturday, following an illness dating from last spring. During the summer she sought relief through medical treatment in St. Paul, but with the continued failure of her health she returned to Hankinson, where the Angel of Death relieved her of her suffering.

Funeral services were held at the Lutheran Church Tuesday, Rev. Klausler conducting the ritual. Six of her grandsons acted as pallbearers, Gerhart Boldt, Alvin Bladow, Herbert Bladow, Ewald Bladow and Norman Ostby.

Mrs. Emilie Bladow, nee Leist, was born on November 14th, 1869, in the Province of Brandenburg, Germany. In 1888, at the age of 19, she came to the U.S., finding a home in Elroy WI. Here she was married to Herman Bladow on November 3rd, 1889, who preceded her in death 14 years ago, on Dec. 15th, 1924.

In 1895, the couple came to North Dakota, settling on a farm southwest of town and in 1909 they moved to southeast of town to a farm at Lightning's Nest. After the death of her husband she remained on the farm several years, and finally moved to Hankinson, four years ago to make her home. She was the kind and loving mother of 11 children, nine of whom survive to mourn their loss.

Emma, Mrs. Wm. Berndt, Hankinson; Harry, Tony, WI., Martha, Mrs. Robert Boldt, So. St. Paul; Edwin, Hankinson; Esther, Mrs. August Kuehl, Hankinson; Clara, Mrs. Leonard McMorrow, So. St. Paul; Lydia, Mrs. Ingwald Helseth, So. St. Paul; Rudolph, Hankinson; Maynard, Hankinson.

She is also survived by four step-children, children of Herman Bladow, 51 grandchildren, 14 great-grandchildren, three sisters and one brother, all living in Wisconsin.

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November 24, 1938

### RUTLAND'S AUTO DEATHS NOW SEVEN

RUTLAND....Sudden death claimed its seventh victim in nine months from this Sargent County community Friday.

Thomas Burke, 45 year old Great Northern fireman, was killed outright when the car in which he was a passenger was ditched at Geneseo. Burke's home was in Rutland, where Mrs.

Burke, two sons, John and Curtis, his mother and three brothers survive.

Last February, two Rutland youths, Sherman Stande and Ivar Donaldson, were found, victims of carbon monoxide poisoning, in a truck at Wahpeton.

Three months later, on May 17th, a high school "skip day" excursion turned into tragedy. Four students, Donald and Eileen Swanson, Arbutus Johnson and Floyd Hart, aged 16 to 18, were killed when the car in which they were returning from Fargo crashed into a train at Fairmount. Three other Rutland young people were seriously injured.

In Friday's accident, a blowout caused a car driven by G. E. Penfiled, of Breckenridge, to plunge into a ditch and roll over several times. Penfield and Jack White, of Breckenridge, third occupant of the car, were injured only slightly. Burke, Penfield and White were on a fox hunting expedition at the time of the smashup.

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November 24, 1938

#### FAIRMOUNT CITIZEN DIED THANKSGIVING

Friends in LaMars were shocked to learn of the sudden death of Joe Moon, of Fairmount on Thursday evening. He and his wife had attended a Thanksgiving dinner at his brother's home in Campbell, and passed away at that place the same evening.

Funeral servcies were held Sunday from the Baptist Church in Fairmount, Rev. Schumacher officiating. The remains were shipped to Illinois for burial.

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December 1, 1938

### EUGENE PRALL DIED IN OREGON

The word of the death of Eugene Prall which occurred at Canby, OR., came as a shock to friends in this vicinity. He died quite suddenly Sunday morning of pneumonia. At this time arrangements are not completed.

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December 1, 1938

# BROTHER OF JOHN R. JONES DIED

Mr. John R. Jones received word last week of the death of his brother, Will, at Neenah, WI. Deceased had a large acquaintance here where he visited periodically. The NEWS has been promised an obituary for the coming week.

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December 1, 1938

# MRS. MAROHL DIED

As we go to press we learn that Mrs. Otto Marohl passed away last night of heart failure. Funeral agrangements have not yet been made, but will be held at Rev. Cloeter's church.

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December 1, 1938

### JOHN KIEL DIED TODAY

Mr. John Kiel, pioneer of the Hankinson community, died this (Thursday) morning at 6:00 o'clock, death being due to the infirmities of old age.

Mr. Kiel, who has been failing in health, but still able to be about, suffered a stroke Wednesday morning, and was taken to the hospital, where he lapsed into a coma, and passed away.

Funeral services will be held Sunday at 2:30 o'clock in the Congregational Church, Rev. Osborn conducting the services.

Deceased was 72 years of age, and had resided in Hankinson since 1922, when he retired from his farm south of town. An obituary will be available next week.

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December 8, 1938

### ALBERT JOHNKE FUNERAL FRIDAY AFTERNOON

Albert Otto Johnke, 56, died Wednesday at a local hospital where he was taken last week for treatment. Cerebrin hemmorhage was the cause of his death.

Mr. Johnke was born in Germany and came to America with his parents when two years old. They resided on a farm near Mantador and later moved to Duerr Township. In 1910 he was united in marriage to Mary Newman and they moved to Hankinson to make their home.

Surviving are: one daughter, Frieda; one grandchild; three brothers, Carl, Otto and Herman, and one sister, Mrs. Robert Bladow; His wife preceded him in death.

Funeral services will be held Friday at 2 o'clock from the home, Rev. Kalusler conducting the services.

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# MRS. ALBERT MUEHLER DIED IN CALIFORNIA

A telegram received by Robert Berg from San Pedro, CA., conveys the sad news that Mrs. Albert Muehler died Friday, December 2nd. She was 36 years old and is survived by her husband and two sons, Vernon and Elmer. She was formerly Olga Wilprecht, of Lidgerwood.

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December 8, 1938

### FUNERAL HELD FOR GREAT BEND LADY

The many friends of Mrs. Caroline Schulz (nee Hammermeister) were shocked to hear of her sudden death which occurred Friday noon at her home in Great Bend. Heart trouble was the cause of her death. In the morning she had been feeling well, doing her work as usual, but about 10:30 she sent her granddaughter, Fern Krueger, for help and an hour later she passed away.

Mrs. Schulz was born in Pommerin Province Germany, June 15th, 1853. She immigrated to Iron Ridge, WI., in 1872. She was married to August Schulz in 1875, and they made their home on a farm northeast of Great Bend. In 1918 they moved into Great Bend, where they have since resided.

Funeral services were conducted Monday afternoon from the home at Great Bend at 1:30 and from Trinity Lutheran Church at 2 o'clock. Rev. J. P. Klausler and Rev. J. Schumacher officiated. Pallbearers were her six grandsons.

She leaves to mourn; one daughter, Mrs. Amanda Krueger, two sons, Richard, of Mooreton, and August, of Great Bend; one sister, Mrs. August Bohn, of Great Bend, two brother; Ferdinand Hammermeister, of Yakima, WA., Julius, of Lime Ridge, WI., and 14 grandchildren and 11 great grandchildren.

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December 8, 1938

# OBITUARY

Mrs. Otto Marohl was born in Stettin, Germany in 1873 and came to America at the age of nine years, settling in Richland County. In Sept. of 1893 she was united in marriage to Otto Marohl and since that time have made their home in Duerr Township.

Last Thursday death called her home. Funeral services were held Monday at the Emman-

uel Lutheran Church, Rev. Cloeter officiating.

Surviving are: Mr. Marohl, seven boys, Arthur, Arnold, Emil Edward, Bernard, Erhart, and Theodore; two boys preceded her in death; five girls; Ella, Hulda, Mathilda, Emelia, LaVerne and many grandchildren.

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December 8, 1938

#### FATHER DIED

Rev. J. Rengstorf received a telegram Sunday that his father-in-law passed away at his home in St. Louis. Mrs. Rengstorf was at the bedside of her father, when death occurred. Rev. Rengstorf left Sunday night for St. Louis. Funeral services were held Tuesday.

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December 8, 1938

JOHN R. JONES, HANKINSON PIONEER, DIED WEDNESDAY

Funeral Services Saturday Afternoon - Congregational Church 2 O'Clock

John R. Jones, Sr., one of North Dakota'a leading businessmen for fifty-two years, died at his home in this city Wednesday afternoon, after an illness of over five years' duration, most of which was spent in a wheel chair or his bed. Deceased was 82 year, 4 months and 2 days old at the time of his death.

In the death of Mr. Jones the city and entire community loses a man of ability and vision who, during his over half century residence here, has had a most important part in the building up and encouraging of agriculture and business. Hundreds of people throughout southeastern North Dakota have been established in business and farming through the assistance of John R. Jones. All during the many years of his residence here any man with industry and character could depend upon Mr. Jones to see that he secured the necessary credits to start a successful farming career, and throughout the community there are many evidences of the success of his assistances.

Even during his long illness he maintained a close association with his varied business interests and his interesting conversational talents resulted in many long and pleasant chats with his countless friends throughout the city.

The philanthropic nature of Mr. Jones no only was extended to business and agriculture but to all civic and religious activities in the community. He was a charter member of the Congregational Church, and until his illness, a leader in its activities who gave of his time and money in advancing the faith.

While death was not unexpected, nevertheless his passing leaves poignant sorrow in the hearts of countless friends and relatives throughout our community, which is lessened only by the knowledge of the great good he has accomplished for the community, and a certain assurance that in death he will find reward for his well spent life.

FUNERAL SATURDAY

Funeral services will be held at the home at 1:45 and at the Congregational Church at 2 o'clock Saturday, the Rev. W. M. Osborn conducting the service.

Stores in the city will close during the services as a mark of respect. The men who will be pallbearers are those who have been closely associated in business with the deceased: Bill Bellin, Wilmar Tiegs, Robert Grohnke, Karl Wolfe, Martin Eberhardt and Robert Bladow.

### OBITUARY

John R. Jones was born on August 12th, 1856, at Neenah, WI., the first child in eleven of Evan and Harriet (Roberts) Jones. At the age of 6 years he went to live with his grand-parents, where he remainded until 21 years of age when he entered Ripon (WI.) College. After his graduation five years later he went into the north woods where he supervised the operation of the woodsmen.

In 1886, Mr. Jones came to Hankinson where he started in business, one of the first businessmen in the city. At that time there was no railway service and Mr. Jones often walked on Sunday to Campbell, MN., for his mail. R. H. Hankinson and Mr. Jones owned the townsite of Hankinson. With the growth of the community Mr. Jones took a lead in the development of the city as a business center, and endured without complaint the hardships of the early pioneers of the community.

In 1886 he was married to Victoria Hamilton, one daughter being born to this union, Margaret. In 1892 he was united in marriage to Mary E. Stilwel, in Wisconsin, and the union was blessed with five children, three sons and two daughters.

# TONY KAISER DIED AT TOWER CITY, N. DAK., SUNDAY

ROSHOLT....Tony Kaiser, 47, formerly a resident of this part of the county, died in a hospital at Tower City, ND., on Sunday, December 11th. He had lived on his farm north of here until about four years ago, when he rented his farm here and moved to Tower City. He was a world war veteran and a single man.

Mr. Kaiser was well known to many people in the Hankinson community.

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# PATTEN ACQUITTED OF MURDER CHARGE

### OLE PEARSON DIED

Saturday evening news spread that Ole Pearson was dead. Only two short hours earlier

Mr. Pearson was on the streets of Hammer chatting with friends and seemed to be in splendid health. After attending the funeral services for the late Mrs. Trelstad, he and Mrs. Pearson stopped in Hammer to do some shopping and then drove to their home, three miles southeast of Hammer. A short time after reaching home Mr. Pearson was suddenly attacked by a heart ailment and passed away.

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December 15, 1938

# KEITH PHILIP STEGNER FUNERAL HELD THURSDAY

FAIRMOUNT....Funeral services for the earthly remains of Keith Philip Stegney, who died Wednesday, were held at the Auditorium Thursday at 2 o'clock. Rev. DeWitt Myers of the Fairmount Methodist Church officiated.

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December 15, 1938

#### PIONEER DIED

MOORETON....Peter McDougall, 77, Richland County pioneer and Mooreton, ND., Postmaster and businessman since 1910, died at his home in Mooreton Wednesday night. Services will be at 1:30 Saturday in the Mooreton Lutheran Church.

Born in Lucknof, Ont., July 23rd, 1867, he moved to Richland County with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John McDougall, March 27th, 1880. He farmed until 1910, when he became a merchant at Mooreton and was appointed postmaster.

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December 15, 1938

### JOHN M. KIEL

Mr. John M. Kiel was born in Grant County, WI., on the 11th day of April, 1867, and moved to Minnesota with his parents in 1888. He was married to Elizabeth Barney on Feb. 10th, 1897, and they moved to near Hankinson in 1904. They farmed south of town until 1918 when they retired and moved to Hankinson, where he resided until his death, December 8th, 1938, at the age of 71 years, 7 months and 27 days.

He leaves to mourn their loss; his wife and three brothers and one sister, Abner W. Kiel, of Marshall, MN., Robert C. Kiel, of Great Bend, Annie Sharratt, of Lynd, MN., and Orion K. Kiel, of Billings, MT.

A large number of mourning friends and relatives attended the funeral at the Congregational Church to pay their last respects to a pioneer citizen, who was kind and unassuming.

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BELFORD....Rev. and Mrs. Cordts received the sad news that Mrs. Cordts' mother passed away. She was buried Sunday but Rev. and Mrs. Cordts were unable to attend. We extend our sympathy.

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# ANTON GILLES DIED

WAHPETON....Funeral services were conducted Tuesday morning at 10 o'clock from St. John's Church here for Anton Gilles, well known Wahpeton business man and founder of the Gilles Theatre here. Mr. Gillies passed away Friday afternoon at 5:30 at his home.

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December 22, 1938

MRS. HAEN DIED

Mr. W. T. Haen received the sad news of the death of his mother which occurred Sunday evening at her home in Renville, MN. Mrs. Haen was well known in this community as she had visited here a number of times with members of her family, who formerly lived here. Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Haen left Monday to attend the funeral.

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December 22, 1938

#### OBITUARY

Mrs. Emma Ettie Finley Nims was born at LaPorte, IN., June 13th 1870. She was the 6th of seven children, four brothers and two sisters, all of whom preceded her in death. At an early age she moved with her parents to a farm near Logan, IA., where she grew to womanhood. After finishing her schooling she taught for a few years. She was married to Silas Nims on March 5th, 1890 at Logan, IA. Two years later they moved to North Dakota and made their home on a farm southeast of Hankinson.

In 1906 they moved to Hankinson, where they resided until 1925. Mrs. Emma Nims was active in the Congregational Church and the Sunday School, and also active in the W. C. T. U. and Missionary Society all through her years in Hankinson. In 1925 they moved to a place soutwest of Detroit Lakes, MN., and then joined the M. E. Church of Detroit Lakes.

Mrs. Emma Nims died Dec. 3rd, 1938, at the Community Hospital. Funeral services were conducted at the M. E. Church, Rev. Floyd Kufus officiating. The songs rendered were "Nearer My God To Thee" "God Tomorrow is Better than Today," "Crossing the Bar." She was laid to rest in the Oak Grove Cemetery at Detroit Lakes.

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December 22, 1938

### RICHLAND PIONEER DIED DEC. 26th

John R. Kotchian, pioneer resident of Richland and Sargent Counties died Christmas Day, December 26th, at his home in Cayuga. Funeral services were held Thursday at 2 o'clock in the Methodist Church at Lidgerwood. Rev. Strader conducted the services.

John Kotchian was born in Wisconsin in 1869, and came to Richland County in the early '80's. He homesteaded north of Lidgerwood. Following his marriage to Miss Aria Kriz they moved to Sargent County, and in 1921 moved to their residence in Cayuga, where he made his home until death occurred.

Surviving are his wife; three daughters, Mrs. Louis Wanous, of Sisseton, Mrs. Henry Freeman, of Geneseo; Mrs. C. O. Weston, and two sons, John H. and Leondard, of Sargent County; also two brothers, Henry and Louis, of Lidgerwood.

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December 29, 1938

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# JOSEPH BAUER FUNERAL SATURDAY

A sorrowing community heard Wednesday of the death of Mr. Joseph Bauer, pioneer of the community, which occurred Wednesday morning, Jan. 4th, following only three days' illness.

Funeral services will be held Saturday morning at 10 o'clock at the St. Philip's Church, Rev. Fr. Jos. F. Studnicka conducting the services. Pallbearers will be: Paul Kinn, Mike Kinn, John Roth, Frank LaQua, Mike Scheller and Math Hammerschmidt. Interment will be in Calvary Cemetery. The body will lie in state at the Wipperman Chapel until Friday.

Joseph Bauer was born in Bavaria, Germany, Feb. 18th, 1858. At the age of 10 he came with his parents to America, who settled on a farm near Menominee, WI. When 18 years old he traveled by wagon to Heron Lake, MN., where he took up a homestead and also engaged in railroading and accountant work for a lumber concern.

He was united in marriage to Miss Mary Heger at Avoca, MN., and with her endured the blizzards, drouths, prairie fires and other hardships of the pioneer families. Ill health caused him to move to Texas where he remained for a time later returning to Minnesota.

In 1896 he came to Hankinson, making the trip in a covered wagon. The family settled on the August Gollnick farm, but later purchased the farm which is now operated by his son, Gregory. Throughout his many years residence here he has been active in civic, political and church affairs, holding numerous offices of public trust and to neighbors was respected as a man of sterling honesty, sound judgment and undying loyalty, and his passing is mourned throughout the entire community.

He is survived by his wife and the following children; Sister M. Cecilia, O. S. B., Garrison, ND., Calix, of St. Cloud; Rudolph, of Wesley, IA.; Brother Luke, C. S. C., of Notre Dame; Miss Clara, of Scoby, MT.; Miss Gertrude and Gregory, of Hankinson. A son, John P., was killed in action in the World War.

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January 5, 1939

### MRS. L. C. OSHEIM ROSHOLT WOMAN DIED

ROSHOLT....Mrs. L. C. Osheim passed away at the Breckenridge Hospital, Monday noon, Jan. 2nd, She had been in delicate health for some time past but was thought to be making recovery, until about three weeks ago, when she was taken to the hospital, where several complications set in and death ensued.

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January 5, 1939

GREAT BEND....A baby boy was born to Mr. and Mrs. George Ziegelman at the Wahpeton Hospital Friday night. The infant lived only a short while. Burial was held Monday at the Lutheran Cementery. The deepest sympathy goes to the bereaved parents.

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January 5, 1939

### FUNERAL SERVICES FOR GEORGE HENTZ

George Hentz, only son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hentz, passed away at the Breckenridge Hospital Sunday afternoon, where he was taken Thursday, seriously ill with pneumonia,

which caused his death.

George Peter Hentz was born Sept. 25th, 1913, in Elma Township, and was 25 years, 3 months and 14 days old at the time of his death. He was baptized and confirmed in the Lutheran Church by Rev. Klausler. His untimely death creates profound sorrow throughout our community, where George was widely known as an exceptionally fine young man. He is survived by his parents and one sister, Helen.

### WALDO PIONEER WOMAN DIED

Mrs. Margaret Ennen, 90 years old, died Wednesday at Faith, SD.. Funeral services were held at Faith and the body was brought to Hankinson for burial in Calvary Cemetery.

Mrs. Ennen was one of our earliest settlers, homesteading on a farm in Waldo Township. About 20 years ago she left for South Dakota to make her home.

Surviving are two daughters, Mrs. John Meyers and Mrs. Christine Mulligan, and a son in Fairmount.

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### NEW EFFINGTON WOMAN DIED

Mrs. John Clause, former resident of New Effington, died at Aberdeen, SD., Sunday morning of heart trouble.

Funeral services were held at the Catholic Church in New Effington today. Fr. Englehart conducted the services. The Clause family had resided in Aberdeen only two months. The Wipperman Funeral Service made the trip to Aberdeen to bring the body home.

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January 12, 1939

### MRS. JOHN GABBERT DIED WEDNESDAY

Funeral Services Will Be Held Sunday at Lutheran Church

A sorrowing community learned Wednesday of the death of Mrs. John Gabbert, which occurred at the Wahpeton Hospital at 6:30 that evening. Mrs. Gabbert had been confined to the Wahpeton Hospital since November, but all that medical science could so was unavailing and she passed away.

Funeral services will be held Sunday at the home at 1:30 and 2 o'clock at the Lutheran Church with Rev. Klausler conducting the services.

Mrs. John Gabbert was born Dec. 1st, in Elma Township, a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Hentz. On Dec. 13th, 1906, she was united in marriage to John Gabbert. Five children blessed this union. During her entire life she had been a loving wife and mother and by all her friends she was loved for her kindly Christian character and friendliness. Her passing leaves poignant sorrow throughout our community.

Surviving are: her husband; three daughters, Ann, Mrs. Lillian Heesch, and Mrs. Myrtle Wurl, and two sons, Roy and Walter; also, her mother, Mrs. Peter Hentz; two sisters, Mrs. John Linehan and Mrs. John Frundt; four brothers, Frank, Peter, Chas and Roy Hentz.

January 12, 1939

#### MRS. WILLIAM HEESCH FUNERAL TODAY

Mrs. William Heesch, for many years a resident of this city and community, passed away at a hospital here on Monday afternoon, after an illness of nearly a year. Mrs. Heesch first came here nearly fifty years ago and has had her home here during most of that time.

Emilie Albertine Voelz was born on Oct. 9, 1866 in the Province of Pommerania, Germany. When she was about 6 years old she came to America with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Voelz. For a time they lived in Wisconsin, then near Hutchinson, MN., and finally they took up a homestead near Hankinson.

On Dec. 29th, 1896, she was united in marriage with William Heesch, the wedding taking place at the home of her parents. Mr. and Mrs. Heesch made their home after their marriage near Okabena, MN. In 1898 they moved to Hankinson and made their home on a farm. In 1921 they moved to Esteven, Canada, returning from there to Hankinson in the fall of 1928. After two years of farming, they moved into town in 1930 and since then resided here.

For almost a year the health of Mrs. Heesch had been so poor that she spent various periods of time in a local hospital. She was taken there again on Jan. 2nd, and there she peacefully passed away on the afternoon of Monday January 16th, at about 2:15 o'clock. She attained the age of 72 years, 3 months and 7 days.

She leaves to mourn her, her aged husband, William Heesch, Sr., five daughters and two sons; Mrs. Minnie Gollnick, William Heesch, Jr., Mrs. Laura Bladow, Mrs. Alma Bickerton, Mrs. Ella Medenwaldt, Mrs. Bertha Medenwaldt and Otto Heesch; two daughters-in-law, six sons-in-law; two brothers, Robert Voelz and Henry Voelz; two sisters-in-law; 37 grandchildren, 9 great- grandchildren, nine nephews and nieces and other relatives and friends.

Funeral services were held on Thursday afternoon, January 19th, beginning at the house of mourning at 1:40 o'clock and being continued at Emmanuel Evangelical Church. Interment was made in Emmanuel Cemetery. Rev. Eyrich officiated at the services. The sympathy of the community is extended to the sorrowing relatives.

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January 19, 1939

## AUGUST SCHMIDT DIED TUESDAY

Funeral services will be held Saturday morning at 10 o'clock at St. Philip's Catholic Church for August Schmidt, well known and respected farmer of Waldo Township. Pall bearers will be old friends and neighbors of the deceased, Matt Kinn, Mike Kinn, Alton Theede, Emil Meide, Ralph Brackin and August Kuehl. He will be laid to rest in Calvary Cemetery.

August Schmidt was born in West Prussia, Germany, Sept. 12th, 1869. He grew to manhood in that place coming to America when twenty years old. He was employed at Stillwater, MN., for a short time and was then employed at Wahpeton for several years. From Wahpeton he came to this vicinity, homesteading in Waldo where he also resided ever since.

In February of 1901, he was married to Mary Nagaatz, who had resided in the Sonora vicinity for two years, coming there from Innesota. To this union nine children were born, five passing away in infancy.

Mr. Schmidt had been in apparent good health until last August when he began to fail.

He was a patient at the St. Francis Hospital in Breckenridge for some time and returned home. On December 12th, he was taken to the Wahpeton Hospital where he passed away Tuesday afternoon.

Besides his wife he leaves to mourn their loss two daughters, Hattie, Mrs. Jacob Wawers of Fairmount, Mrs. Helen Bresbin, of Seattle, WA., and two sons, Elmer and Gilbert, at home, seven grandchildren, one brother, John of Vancouver, WA., and two half brothers, Max, of Great Bend, and Bernard, of Campbell, MN.

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January 19, 1939

## MIKSCHE DIED

BRECKNRIDGE....An illness lasting for several weeks, resulted in death for Frank Miksche, leading Breckenridge businessman. Funeral services were conducted Wednesday morning from St. Mary's Church in Breckenridge and burial will be in St. Mary's Cemetery.

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January 19, 1939

## FATHER OF MRS. GEORGE SCHUETT DIED FRIDAY

Mathias Joseph Hamerlik, father of Mrs. George Schuett, a resident of Wahpeton for 51 years, died at his home in Wahpeton Friday aftern an illness of several years. Funeral services were conducted Monday morning at 10 o'clock from St. Adalbert's Church with Rev. Jande officiating.

Mr. Hamerlik was born at Prague, Austria, Dec. 31st, 1853, and came to Wahpeton directly from Prague. He was married to Mary Johanna Kunas in Austria in 1880. Mrs. Hammerlik passed away in September of last year.

Mr. Hamerlik worked on farms in this vicinity for some time and for the railroad. He became city teamster and worked at that job continuously for 28 years without missing a days work. Later he became park caretaker and caretaker at the library. Because of illness he retired eight years ago. He was an active and devout member of St. Adalbert's Church.

NEW EFFINGTON....Baby Darold Pederson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Idan Pederson, of Minneapolis, passed away Thursday, after a long period of illness. Funeral services were held at the Ferkingstad Church Sunday.

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January 19, 1939

BELFORD....Mr. and Mrs. Robert Tiegs left by bus Tuesday evening for Ellendale, ND., to attend the funeral of Herman Tiegs, who passed away at the hospital at Britton, SD.

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January 19, 1939

### DEATH OF BROTHER

#### MRS. J. BIRNBAUM DIED MONDAY

Mrs. Julia Birnbaum, pioneer woman of Elma Township since 1891, died at the home of Mike Birnbaum at 2:30 o'clock Monday following three days of critical illness.

Funeral services were held at St. Philip's Church at 10 o'clock, Wednesday, Rev. Fr. Studnicka and Fr. Saman officiating.

Julia Dula was born in Groslievitch, Germany, on March 19th, 1864. In 1890 she immigrated to the United States settling first at Geneseo, ND. A year later she moved to Elma Township. On January 12th, 1891, she was united in marriage to Theodore Birnbaum. To this union seven children were born, her husband and one child preceeding her in death.

Deceased was a kindly Christian woman, loved by all who knew her, and her passing leaves sorrow in the hearts of the community. Surviving to mourn their loss are: four sons, John, Theodore, Mike, Joe, and two daughters, Clara at home, and Mathilda at Mooreton. One sister Mrs. Susan Murach. Eleven grandchildren also survive.

Pallbearers were: Paul Kinn, Jos. Fallon, Math and John Schiltz, Matt Elsen and John Wilm.

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#### STRICKEN AT FUNERAL

Mrs. Susan Murach, sister of Mrs. Julia Birnbaum, was stricken while at the cemetery following the funeral and died that evening at 5:40. She was the last surviving sister.

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January 26, 1939

## INFANT DAUGHTER OF MATT MEYER DIED

The community was grieved to learn of the death of little Phyllis, ten month old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Matt J. Meyer. The babe had been ill for the past two weeks. She was taken to the Breckenridge Hospital Friday, where she passed away early Monday.

Surviving to mourn her passing are her parents, four brothers and four sisters.

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January 26, 1939

### FORMER STATE LINE RESIDENT DIED

Wm. Williamson, of Battle Lake, MN., passed away at his home Friday afternoon, Jan. 6th. Death was due to Bright's disease and high blood pressure from which he had been suffering for six years.

## FUNERAL HELD FOR GREAT BEND PIONEER

Funeral services for Henry Bohn, 80, resident of Richland County since pioneer days, who died Monday at his home near Great Bend, were held Friday at 1 o'clock, from his home and at 2 o'clock from the Evangelical Lutheran Church, Great Bend, Rev. Rengstorf officiated at the last rites.

Henry Bohn was born in Germany in 1858 and came to America when 9 years old. In the early 70's he came to Great Bend and later homesteaded one mile west of Great Bend. In 1899 he was married to Ida Tessman of Great Bend. Four sons and three daughters survive. They are: Frank, at home; Erna, Mrs. Herman Ziegelman, of Garfield, MN.; Otto and Lena, at home; Richard of Brandenburg Township; Martha, Mrs. Paul Krueger, Great Bend; and Gustave, at home. Also surviving are four grandchildren.

The entire community mourns the passing of a man who has been a good friend and neighbor for over a half century.

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February 2, 1939

## J. P. CUFFE, ROBERTS SHERIFF IS DEAD

SISSETON....J. P. (Jack) Cuffe, well known citizen of Roberts County, former Sheriff and until January 1st connected with the State Motor Vehicle Department, died in a Minneapolis Hospital Friday following an operation for cerebral hemmorhage.

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February 2, 1939

LIDGERWOOD....Steve Blaske, of Lidgerwood, died on Monday due to a heart attack.

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February 2, 1939

NEW EFFINGTON....Mr. Herman Heidner, Sr., died at the St. Luke's Hospital at Aberdeen Sunday morning. Mr. Heidner was the father of Elmer and Herman, who were at his bedside when he passed away. Funeral services were held Wednesday.

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February 2, 1939

## YOUNG LADY DIED

## MRS. AUGUST MILLER DIED SUNDAY

An unusually long life was brought to a quiet close when Mrs. August Miller of this community passed from the earthly scene last Sunday morning. Had Mrs. Miller lived until the 23rd day of May this year, she would, on that day, have rounded out her 98th year.

Anna Krueger was born on May 23rd, 1841, in Runau, Province of Posen, Germany. There she was baptized, instructed in the Christian faith and confirmed and grew to womanhood. There, also, she became the wife of Mr. August Miller.

In the year 1888, the family immigrated to America. After arriving in this country they took the route from New York City, which led them by ship across the Great Lakes to Superior, WI. They then crossed the state of Minnesota and came to Wahpeton, ND. At first they lived on a rented farm in Belford Township, then on a farm of their own which remained the home of the deceased until she passed away last Sunday morning. Mr. Miller passed away on January 16th, 1918.

Mrs. Miller was the mother of ten children. One son and one daughter passed away before the family left Germany and one daughter, Alvina, passed away here in the year 1929.

The remaining children are: Mrs. Emma Koblirich, of St. Paul, MN., Gustav, of Hankinson, Mrs. Hulda Vedder and Rudolph, of Hankinson, Robert who lives near Fargo, and Mrs. Emily

Weber and Julius, of Hankinson. She also leaves 18 grandchildren and three great-grandchildren. One son-in-law, one daughter-in-law, other more distant relatives and friends.

Funeral services were held on Wednesday afternoon of this week, Feb. 8th, beginning at the Wipperman Chapel at 1:15 and being continued at Emmanuel Evangèlical Church, of which the deceased was a member for many years. Rev. Eyrich officiated at the services. Interment was made in Emmanuel Cemetery, near this city. The sympathy of the community is extended to the relatives and friends in their bereavement.

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February 9, 1939

## MRS. WALTER DAVID

Mrs. Walter David died at the Kersten Hospital in Hankinson, on February 8th, 1939. She took sick last September and took treatment at the Wahpeton Hospital, later was moved to the Hankinson Hospital.

Leona Boehning David was born April 4th, 1915, in Duerr Township. Her father died on Dec. 24th, 1919, her mother died April 9th, 1923. She and her two brothers made their home at their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Ebel home.

On Sept. 18th, 1933, she was married to Walter David and they made their home in Lidgerwood until her death. She leaves to mourn her death: her husband, one son, Larry, two brothers, Bernard and Ervin Boehning, one grandfather, C. H. Ebel, one grandmother, Mrs. Julius Boehning and a host of other near relatives. She was buried in the Evangelical Lutheran Cemetery, Rev. Julius Cloeter officiating.

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February 9, 1939

### AGED MANTADOR WOMAN DIED

Mrs. Anna Duetsch, 81, died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Peter Schmitz, Friday morning. Funeral services were held at the Catholic Church in Eden, SD., where a son and daughter reside.

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## H. F. REVOR DEAD

Friends will regret to learn of the death of H. F. Revor, formerly of Hankinson, at his home in Minneapolis, Sunday. Mr. Revor was a railroad man. His wife and several brothers and sisters survive him. Funeral services were held Tuesday in Minneapolis.

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February 9, 1939

#### FORMER MANTADOR RESIDENT DEAD

Henry Lambardi, 85, pioneer of Mantador, died Friday at St. Rapheal's Home at St. Cloud. Funeral services were held at St. Peter and Paul's Church at Mantador at 9:30 Wednesday. Mr. Lambardi has been at St. Rapheal for the past ten years.

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February 16, 1939

## ST. PHILIP'S CHURCH SERVICES FOR POPE PIUS

St. Philip's Church will hold Requiem High Mass Monday morning at 9 o'clock honoring the Holy Father, Pope Pius, who died February 10th, at the Vatican in Rome. For several days prior to the funeral, which was held Wednesday the bells of St. Philip's Church were tolled, marking the grief of the members and friends of the church.

Pope Pius XI, was the 261st head of the Roman Catholic Church, and his death was announced officially by Cardinal Eugenio Pacelle, Interium Ruler of the Church. Death came to the Pope as he uttered a prayer for "Peace" for a world on the brink of war.

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February 16, 1939

Mrs. Anna Roth and Irene received the sad news of the death of the baby daughter born to Mr. and Mrs. Donald Manngold at Cedar Rapids, IA., last week.

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February 16, 1939

### FUNERAL HELD FOR COUNTY PIONEER

The Angel of Death visited our community Friday evening at 15 minutes to 7, Feb. 17th and took home with him, one of our most beloved pioneer citizens, Mr. Henry Koppelman at the age of 72 years and days. Mr. Koppelman had been in fairly good health until Feb. 9th, when he was stricken with bladder trouble. On Feb. 11th, he was taken to the St. Francis Hospital at Breckenridge and Thursday, Feb. 16th he underwent an operation and Friday pneumonia set in.

Henry Koppelman was born Feb. 14th, 1867 at Theresa, WI., and died Feb. 17th, at the St. Francis Hospital. He came to North Dakota at the age of 7 years with his parents and was married to Emelia Neitzel, Oct. 2nd, 1890, who with ten children survive, namely: Mrs. Wm. (Minnie) Grager, of Carrington, ND.; Mrs. Robert (Elsie) Krause, of Mooreton, ND.; Carl of Jamestown, ND.; Alfred, of Great Bend; Mrs. John (Bertha) Utz, of Yuma, CO.; Mrs. Herb. (Martha) Johnson, of Breckenridge, MN.; Mrs. Otto (Gertrude) Overboe, of Mankato, MN.; Theodore, of Wahpeton, ND.; Henry, of Laurel, MT.; and Mrs. Harvey (Henrietta) Brown, of Duluth, and one brother, William, of Minneapolis, MN.; and one sister, Mrs. Henry Boll, of Fergus Falls, MN.

In 1890 Mr. Koppelman began farming on a farm four miles northwest of Great Bend. He retired in 1921 and moved to Great Bend. He was an active church member of the Trinity Lutheran Church being confirmed at the age of 13 at Elizabeth, MN., and was an officer in the congregation for many years and also on the building committe when the present church was erected.

Funeral services were held Tuesday afternoon with Rev. Rengstorf officiating. Pall-bearers were six nephews, Ewald Bohn, George and Elroy Koppelman, Harry Ehlers, Alfred Witt and Roy Neitzel.

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## INFANT DIED

The day old child of Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Prochnow passed away February 2nd. Funeral services were conducted Saturday by Rev. Klausler. The little child had been named Peggy Lee.

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#### MILITARY RITES ACCORDED MISS HELEN V. DUERR

LIDGERWOOD....Funeral services with military rites were held Monday morning for Miss Helen V. Duerr, retired United States Navy nurse, who died in the United States Naval Hospital in San Diego, Feb. 5th.

Miss Duerr was born May 21, 1892, on a farm seven miles southeast of Lidgerwood, now

occupied by Mrs. Matt Willprecht. Her parents were the late Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Duerr. Miss Duerr attended school in Lidgerwood and the Sacred Heart Academy in Fargo.

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February 23, 1939

#### PROMINENT LAMARS RESIDENT DIED

Word was received Friday morning that Mr. Frank Williams had passed away at a Fargo Hospital. Funeral services were held in the Methodist Church in Fairmount on Monday.

John Franklin Williams was born in New York state Dec. 17th, 1854 and passed away on Feb. 17th, 1939. In 1865 he moved, with his parents, to Decatur, MI. He attended school in St. Louis several years. In 1880 the family came by covered wagon and settled at Campbell, MN. Later moving to Richland County on a claim on which he had filed. He leaves a family of four sons, Clarence, of Fargo, ND.; Bertis, of Cedar Rapids, IA., Spencer in Iowa and Ed, of Steele, ND. His only daughter, Adrica, passed away at Robinson, ND., three years ago. He leaves several grand children and a large number of friends.

He served LaMars Township for thirty years as town clerk, several years as assessor, and was vice president of the Home Mutual Insurance Co. On his eightieth birthday, LaMars Township gave a party in his honor in the town hall which was attended by all of LaMars and relatives and friends from other places. He will be sadly missed as he was loved by all.

Pallbearers were A. W. Luick, O. M. Minar, Porter Snyder, Fred Snyder, Henry Walter and Fred Bickerdike. Interment was in the cemetery south of Fairmount.

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February 23, 1939

#### CHILD DIED

The infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Bonine passed away at the Breckenridge Hospital Friday of yellow jaundice. The little one was born Monday night.

Funeral services were held from the home Saturday afternoon, Rev. Meyers officiating. Mrs. Bonine will return home Tuesday weather permitting.

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February 23, 1939

## MRS. JOHN STENGER DIED TUESDAY

Mrs. John Stenger, pioneer woman of North Dakota, passed away at her home in Elma Township Tuesday, Feb. 28th, following a year of failing health. Funeral services were held today (Thursday) in St. Philip's Church, Fr. Jos. F. Studnicka conducting the services.

Ellen Wall was born Sept. 3rd, 1870 at Roxbury, WI., and was 68 years old at the time of her death. She came to North Dakota in January of 1890. She made her home with the James Shea family, and taught school in Elma, Greendale, LaMars, Barrie and Helendale Townships. She was united in marriage to John Stenger in Hankinson, May 12th, 1897, since which time she made her home on their farm in Elma Township.

Surviving are her husband, one daughter, Alice; three sisters, Mrs. Julie Mann, of Sidney, MT.; Mrs. Margaret Kenny, of Bancroft, SD.; Mrs. Wm. McIntyre, of Stockett, MT., and also one brother, John Wall, of Lodi, WI.

Pallbearers were Mike Kinn, Math Schiltz, Mike Birnbaum, James Fallon, Con Shea and H.

G. Worner.

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#### RUDOLPH HENKE DIED

Rudolph Henke, residing in the southwest community, passed away last Thursday at the home of his daughter in Hanley Falls, MN., where he had been staying for several weeks.

Deceased was born in Runau, Posen Province, Germany, in 1868 and was 71 years of age at the time of his death.

#### FATHER OF H. G. HALVORSON DIED

Henry Halvorson, pioneer of Wyndmere passed away early on Saturday morning at his home in Wyndmere. Mr. Halvorson had been in ill health for the past two months and had been confined to his home the past five weeks. Death was due to a heart ailment.

Funeral services were held Tuesday February 28th at the Wyndmere Lutheran Church at 2 PM., following services at the residence at 1:30. Rev. I. J. Bjerke officiated. Burial was made in Elk Creek Cemetery.

Mr. H. G. Halvorson, of this city, is a son of the deceased.

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March 2, 1939

#### FORMER BUSINESSMAN DIED AT BRITTON

Word was received in Hankinson this week telling of the death of John Larson, 45, who died in Dayton Township, near Britton, Sd. He is survived by his wife (Hattie Engman, formerly of Marmouth). Mr. Larson operated a shoe shop in the building now occupied by the Dew Drip Inn for a couple of years.

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March 9, 1939

## TWO PIONEERS DIED WEDNESDAY

Two pioneers of the Hankinson community, Fred Ebel and Carl Buckhouse, Sr., passed away yesterday at their homes in this community.

Both gentlemen were born in Germany, and immigrated to the United States in the same boat. Since making their home here they have helped greatly in the development of the country, and their passing is mourned throughout the community.

Funeral services for Mr. Buckhaus will be held Tuesday and for Mr. Ebel on Saturday. CARL BUCKHAUS, SR.

A well known citizen of this community was called to his eternal reward in the passing of Carl Buckhaus, Sr., whom death summoned early in the morning of Wednesday, March 8th, at his home in this city. Mr. Buckhaus had been failing due to the frailities of old age for several months.

Carl Frederick William Buckhaus was born on July 27, 1860 in Kuelz, in the Province of Pommerania, Germany. In the place of his birth he received the sacrament of holy baptism and was confirmed.

On December 19th, 1884, he was united in marriage with Elsie Wilhelmine Albertine Falk. Five years later they left their homeland and came to America. Their first home in America was at Wausau, WI., where they resided for 2½ years. Then they came to Hankinson and took

up a homestead, the farm which is now being operated by their son, Carl Buckhaus, Jr. Here they lived continuously until the year 1916 when they moved into Hankinson. After a residence of about four years in Hankinson, they again moved onto the farm in 1920. In 1923 they retired from the farm permanently and since then have lived in Hankinson.

Mr. Buckhaus became a member of the Emmanuel Evangelical Church very shortly after his arrival in Hankinson and participated in the erection of the present church edifice, which was erected during the first fall of his residence here. He has been a faithful member of that church during all these years.

Since the beginning of this year the infirmities of old age became more and more evident with Mr. Buckhaus and death came to him peacefully at 1 o'clock in the morning of Wednesday March 8th.

He leaves to mourn him his aged wife, two sons, C. F. Buckhaus and Fred Buckhaus, both of Hankinson; two daughters, Mrs. Amelia Schroeder, of Fargo, ND., and Mrs. Bertha Terwilliger, of Woodburn, OR.; two daughters-in-law, Mrs. Martha Buckhaus and Mrs. Lena Buckhaus, of Hankinson; one son-in-law, Mr. James Terwilliger, of Woodburn, OR.; three sisters-in-law, Mrs. Carl Popp, of Wahpeton, Mrs. Bertha Buckhaus, of Falkenburg, Germany; and Mrs. Amelia Buckhaus, of Milwaukee, WI., one brother, Fred Buckhaus, of Dusseldorf, Germany, 23 grand-children, 24 great-grandchildren and other more distant relatives and many friends.

Funeral services have been arranged for Tuesday, March 14th, in order that relatives from a distance may attend. On that day the services will begin at 1:45 PM., at the Wipperman Chapel and will be continued at Emmanuel Evangelical Church. Interment will be made in Emmanuel Cemetery near this city. Rev. Eyrich will officiate at the servcies. Six grandsons of the deceased are to act as pallbearers.

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March 9, 1939

#### FRED EBEL

Another aged resident of this community and one who had lived here a long time was called into Eternity when death beckoned Fred Ebel on Wednesday evening, March 8th, at the home of his son, Charles, a few miles southeast of town.

Carl Frederick August Ebel, was born on August 8th, 1855, in Sallnow, in the Province of Pommerania, Germany. There he received the sacrament of Holy Baptism, was confirmed and grew to manhood.

On Oct. 3rd, 1884, he was united in marriage with Emilie Charlotte August Stark, the marriage being performed at Farbizin, Germany. After their marriage Mr. and Mrs. Ebel continued to reside in Germany for about five years. In 1889 they left Germany and came to America, making the passage on the same ship with Mr. and Mrs. Carl Buckhaus, Sr., It is an Odd circumstance that both of these men passed away upon the same day. After arriving in America, Mr. Ebel lived for one year at Monrose, MN. In the year 1890 he came to Hankinson and homesteaded the farm which is now operated by his son, Charles, after he had first lived for a short time on a farm just west of town.

Mr. Ebel continued to operate this farm until 1911. In that year he retired from active life and moved to Hankinson. About two years ago advancing old age made it advisable for

him to make his home with his son and since that time he has lived there. Death came to him peacefully after an illness of only one day, at 8:30 PM on Wednesday, March 8th, 1939. His wife preceded him in death on March 26th, 1929.

He leaves to mourn him, one son, Charles Ebel, one daughter, Mrs. Elsie Kath, one sister, Mrs. Emma Sodke, two sisters-in-law, Mrs. Anna Kuehl and Mrs. Augusta Ebel, one brother-in-law, Mr. August Kuehl, Sr. Ten grandchildren, three great-grandchildren, and many other relatives and many friends.

#### FUNERAL HELD FOR MANTADOR YOUTH

Funeral services for John Thiel, 16 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Math Thiel, of Mantador, who died last Tuesday at the Wahpeton Hsopital, were held Friday morning from Sts. Peter and Paul's Church in Mantador.

John was born on July 19, 1922, at Mantador. He attended the Mantador school until he completed his freshman year of high school. During the summer he found employment on some of the surrounding farms, until last fall when he went to Albert Lea, MN., where he remained until January of this year.

John was an active member of the "Junior Holy Names Society," and as an act of special respect to his memory, Rev. Father Schneider asked all the young boys who had formerly served with John to be present in the sanctuary and granted the honor of serving at the mass to Louis Schmidt and Joseph Mertes.

The Sisters of the Mantador school, with the pupils, came in groups to pay their last respects, during the afternoon of Thursday. Classmates who are attending other schools called in the evening. At 7 o'clock PM., Father Schneider lead relatives and friends in the recitation of the Rosary.

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March 9, 1939

#### R. L. IRELAND DIED

GRAND FORKS....R. L. Ireland, 58, prominent Grand Forks lumberman for 20 years, died Wednesday after a short illness. Born in Wausau, WI., Feb. 6th, 1881, he started in the lumber business at Hankinson, operating the business now belonging to the Salzer Lumber Co. Always a good booster for the city he enjoyed a large business. He moved to Grand Forks in 1920.

Surviving are: Mrs. Ireland, two brothers, Guy L., of Grand Forks and Van G., of Hawley MN., and a sister, Mrs. M. C. Woodard, of Portland, OR. Others remaining are his mother, Mrs. S. O. Ireland, of Grand Forks; three daughters, Mrs. J. E. Breece, of Lexington, NC., Mrs. Hiliary Wilson and Edith Ireland, of Grand Forks, and a son, Roy, of Grand Forks.

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March 23, 1939

#### MRS. H. BRUMMOND DIED SATURDAY

The final summons has gone to another aged citizen of this community, in the passing of Mrs. Herman Brummond from this life on Saturday evening of last week, at the home of her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Buckhaus, a few miles southeast of this city.

Mrs. Brummond experienced fully that which extreme age brings us, the years in which we have no pleasure, and death came to her as a release from many woes.

Wilhelmine Frederika Louise Grosskreuz was born in Pagenkopf, Pommeran Province, Germany, on Sept. 6th, 1851. There she received the sacrament of Holy Baptism on Sept. 21st. 1851, and later was received into membership with the Christian Church thru the Rite of Confirmation.

On Nov. 21st, 1878, she was united in marriage with Mr. Herman Brummond. Three sons and two daughters were born to this union. One of the daughters died in infancy about 50 years ago. Two of the sons died on the same day in 1903. One son preceded his mother in death by 10 years lacking one day and the date of the mother's funeral is exactly 10 years after his funeral day. One daughter, Mrs. Fred Buckhaus, survives.

The Brummond family came to America in 1882. The ship upon which they left Germany was rammed by another ship and nearly sank before the passengers could be removed. On being removed to another ship the journey was continued to America at once and without further serious mishap. Mr. and Mrs. Brummond came at once to Hankinson, and lived on various farms in the vicinity of this city until they retired from active life in 1926 and made their home in Hankinson. Here Mr. Brummond passed away on July 14, 1936.

A few days after the passing of her husband, Mrs. Brummond went to make her home with her daughter, Mrs. Buckhaus and has had her home there since that time. After enduring the afflicitions of age for a long time, the burden was lifted from her shoulders and she entered into rest in the evening of Saturday, March 18th, 1939 at about 10:30 o'clock. She attained the age of 87 years, 7 months and 12 days.

She leaves to mourn her, one daughter, Mrs. Lena Buckhaus; three brothers, Fred Grosskreuz, of Northome, MN.; Karl Grosskruez, of Garretron, ND.; August Grosskreuz, of Fulda, MN.; one brother-in-law, one sister-in-law, one daughter-in-law, one son-in-law, Fred Buckhaus, seven grandchildren and other more distant relatives and many friends.

Funeral services were held on Wednesday afternoon, March 22, 1939, beginning at the Wipperman's Chapel at 1:45 PM and being continued at the Emmanuel Evangelical Church of which Mrs. Brummond was a charter member, Rev. Eyrich officiated at the services.

Interment was made in the Emmanuel Cemetery near this city. Pallbearers were Robert and William Dumke, John and Herman Brummond, Eric Krause and August Kuehl, Jr. The sympathy of the community is extended to the sorrowing relatives.

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March 23, 1939

### ED WOIWODE FOUND DEAD ON SATURDAY

## COUNTY'S OLDEST RESIDENT IS DEAD

#### FIREMAN DIES IN SOO WRECK

OSCEOLA, WI.....Frank Dretl, 45, fireman, was killed and Engineer Walter Robinson was injured seriously, when a landslide forced the engine and two baggage cars of the Soo Line passenger train No. 62 off the tracks three miles south of here Wednesday afternoon. No passengers were hurt, railway officials said. Dretl and Robinson formerly worked out of Hankinson.

Dretl's body remained pinned in the engine cab, awaiting arrival of an acetylene torch with which to cut the metal.

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March 23, 1939

HAMMER....Mr. and Mrs. Ole Hammer and daughter, Lois, were up from Watertown last Saturday and Sunday. On Saturday they attended the funeral services for the late Forbes Smith at Sisseton.

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#### FORMER RESIDENT OF HANKINSON IS DEAD

Word received here conveys the news of the death of Herman Bladow, at the age of 62. He was found slumped over in a chair by his daughter, Olive, when she returned from work.

Mr. Bladow formerly worked for the J. R. Jones Co., in Hankinson but left here 24 years ago for Washington. He is survived by four daughters. A number of relatives of the deceased reside in this community.

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March 30, 1939

## FUNERAL SERVICES FOR ED J. ROTH

A multitude of mourners wended their way to St. Philip's Church, Wednesday morning to pay their last respects to Ed. J. Roth, one of our number who passed away at the Trinity Hospital in Minot at 6:50 Sunday morning, from injuries sustained in the Soo Line wreck of last week. Fr. Jos. F. Studnicka and Fr. Schuh conducted the services.

Ed. J. Roth was born in Hankinson, Feb. 21st, 1897, in which city he grew to manhood and received his education. In October of 1919 he was united in marriage to Tillie Hoefs, and this union was blessed with three children, all of whom were at the bedside when the Angel of Death called. He was engaged in farming, being a partner with R. H. Hoefs, and then took up railroad work on the Soo Line as brakeman serving for 23 years. In this city and among his associates of the Soo Line deceased was held in great respect for his continuous acts of kindness and friendly manner to all with whom he had occasion to associate.

Surviving to mourn their loss are his faithful wife and three sons, Jerome, Kenneth and August two brothers, Jake, of Wahpeton and Adam, of Belfield; two sisters, Mrs. Fred Balderson of Lisbon, and Mrs. Gordon Baker, of Belfield. His parents preceded him in death in 1931 and 1933.

## LAST RITES HELD FOR MRS. MATH RETTERATH

LIDGERWOOD....Funeral services were held Saturday at 10 AM., in St. Boniface Catholic Church for Mrs. Mathias Retterath, pioneer resident of this community, who died March 13th in the home of a daughter, Mrs. Gust Holst, of Sanish, ND.

#### FORMER GREAT BEND RESIDENT IS DEAD

LIDGERWOOD....Funeral services were held Monday in St. Martin's Catholic Church, Geneseo, for John Kubacki, 64, who died last week in his farm hone in Kingston Township of heart disease.

Mr. Kubacki was born on January 7th, 1875, in Wisconsin and came to Great Bend as a youth. He had lived on the farm in Kingston since 1902.

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April 20, 1939

## FUNERAL HELD FOR MANTADOR WOMAN

Mrs. Gertrude Kinn, pioneer resident of the Mantador community, died Friday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank LaQua at 9 AM. She has been ill since Christmas and her condition became critical the past week.

Mrs. Kinn was born Nov. 26th, 1869, in Dusseldorf, Germany, a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Krump (Barbara Sneider). In 1890 she came to the United States. She was married to Peter Kinn in 1894 in Mantador. To this union five children were born, namely Mrs. Catherine Atkinson, of Los Angeles, CA., Mrs. Clifford Skog, of Hankinson, Mrs. George Kassa, of Sisseton, Mr. Nick Kinn, of New Effington, and John Kinn, who preceded her in death. Her husband passed away in 1920.

Funeral services were conducted in St. Philip's Church Tuesday at 9 o'clock by Father Schuh. Pallbearers were Matt, Mike and Paul Kinn, Mike Birnbaum, Frank Brackin and Herman Bagus.

Deceased was a kind and lovable person always willing to render assistance to her neighbors and was an exemplary member of the Catholic Church.

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April 20, 1939

SONORA....Mr. and Mrs. Ed O'Meara and Mr. and Mrs. William Sander received the sad news of the death of the latter's mother in Fergus Falls, Wednesday. Our deepest dympathy is extended to the O'Meara and Sander families.

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April 20, 1939

HAMMER....Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Henke and children attended the funeral services for Mrs. Henke's father, Nick DeBoer, at Barrett, MN., last Sunday

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April 20, 1939

#### PIONEER DIED

Requiem High Mass was held from St. Anthony's Church at Fairmount, Saturday morning for James Fox, aged pioneer resident, with Rev. Father G. C. Bierens officiating. Inter-

April 20, 1939

We erred in the heading when we told that the late Mrs. Gertrude Kinn was a Mantador pioneer. Mrs. Kinn had resided for a time in Mantador, but after her marriage in 1894 had moved to Elma where she made her home.

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April 27, 1939

Mrs. John Fischer received the sad news of the death of her aunt, Mrs. Frank Rettig at Wahpeton, Sunday night. Funeral services are to be held at St. John's Catholic Church, Thursday. Mrs. Fischer and Mrs. I. Klimek and son will attend the rites.

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April 27, 1939

#### MRS. C. JARSKI DIED ON TUESDAY

Mrs. Christine Jarski, a resident of Hankinson since 1897, died at the home of her niece, Mrs. Adam Hipp, Tuesday. Death followed closely the fall which Mrs. Jarski suffered a week ago.

Christine Emerick Jarski was born in Brukental, Austria, in August of 1869. Following the death of her first husband she was united in marriage to Andrew Jarski, who preceeded her in death in 1914. Surviving are two sisters, Mrs. Adolph Bisek, of Lowry, MN., and Mrs. S. Portner, of Hankinson.

Funeral services will be held at 10 AM at St. Philip's Church, Fr. Studnicka officiating. Pallbearers weill be John Portner, John Hipp, Joe Baker, Joe Born, John Roth and Martin Richied. \* \* \* \* \* \* \* \* \* \* May 18, 1939

### ALFRED AMBACH DIED AT GREAT BEND

Alfred Ambach, pioneer Richland County homesteader, retired and living in Great Bend, died this morning at his home.

Funeral services will be held Sunday afternoon from the Lutheran Church, Rev. Rengatorf officiating.

Alfred Ambach was born in Germany, March 1, 1873, and when two years old came, with his parents to the United States, settling first in Wisconsin. Later they moved to the Great Bend community where he filed on a homestead, from which he retired several years ago, and had since made his home in Great Bend.

Deceased is survived by his wife; three sons, Ernest, of Hankinson; Arthur and Alvin, of Great Bend; and one daughter, Mrs. Rud. Beling.

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May 18, 1939

#### MOORETON DEATH

MOORETON....Funeral services for Mrs. Caroline Veit, Mooreton, who died at noon Wednesday, was conducted on Saturday morning at St. Anthony's church at Mooreton at 10 o'clock with Rev. Father J. R. Sammon officiating.

May 18, 1939

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Mr. and Mrs. Dick Bellin left Monday morning for Moorehead where they attended the funeral of Mr. Fritz Nelson, an uncle of Mrs. Bellins.

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May 18, 1939

#### FUNERAL HELD FOR PIONEER WOMAN

Mrs. Reinhart Bellin, Sr., passed away at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Milton Witt, at 6:30 o'clock, Sunday evening, May 21st, 1939. Death followed an illness of three weeks by a cerebral hemorrhage.

Mrs. Bellin, nee August Schroeder, was born on August 25th, 1863, in Mayville, WI., At the age of 16 years she came, with her parents, to Hankinson and has lived here ever since. She was married Dec. 2nd, 1886, in Belford Township, by Rev. August Hinck.

Deceased was a kind and loving pioneer mother, whose Christian acts endeared her to the people of the entire community, and her death leaves poignant sorrow in our homes. Mr. and Mrs. Bellin had, in December of 1936, observed their golden wedding anniversary, all these years having been spent in Hankinson.

Surviving to mourn her passing are Mr. Bellin and five children, Robert, Albert, Richard, Reinard, Jr., and Mrs. Milton Witt, all of Hankinson; two sisters and one brother, Mrs. Chas. Hein and Mrs. Hilda King, of Hankinson and Emil Schroeder, of Fairmount, also 14 grandchild-ren.

Funeral services were held Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock in the Congregational Church with Rev. Wm. Osborn officiating. The American Legion Auxiliary, of which Mrs. Eellin was a member, conducted the services at the grave in Hillside Cemetery.

Six nephews served as pallbearers, Alfred Hein, Charles King, Charles Schroeder, Anton Lensen, Wm. Bellin and Harold Schroeder.

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May 25, 1939

## MRS. MATHIAS BERNARD DIED

FAIRMOUNT....The community was shocked to learn of the death of Mrs. Mathias Bernard, early Saturday morning, May 13th. Death struck suddenly and without warning at about five o'clock in the morning, a blood clot being given as the cause.

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May 25, 1939

## FORMER HANKINSON G. N. AGENT KILLS WOMAN

ABERDEEN....What police described as a "lovers' quarrel" ended in the fatal shooting of Laura Carr, 40 year old divorcee, and the attempted suicide of Frank Duffy, 55.

Police said that Duffy, a ticket agent for the Great Northern Railroad, shot and killed Mrs. Carr in a rooming house here about 11:30 AM., then drove in his car to a lonely country road three miles southeast of Aberdeen, and shot himself in the head.

Duffy was taken to an Aberdeen hospital. He was semi-conscious and physicians had not determined whether he might recover from the wound.

Mrs. Carr had been divorced from her husband, a Willow Lake, SD., minister for some time. Her roommate, Audrey Price, 20, said Mrs. Carr had known Duffy for a considerable period. She said they quarrelled violently, and that she left the room to get the landlady in the hope she might be able to halt the quarrel.

Frank Duffy, early in his railroad career, was an agent at the Great Northern Depot in Hankinson.

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## FORMER GREAT BEND MAN DIED FRIDAY

Relatives in Great Bend received word Friday from Fergus Falls that John Strissel, of Fergus Falls, died that morning at a hospital in Grand Forks, the result of injuries sustained in an auto crash last February.

Mr. Strissel, while stalled in a snow drift in February near Grand Forks was hit by another car. Both hips were broken. He was taken to a hospital in Grand Forks.

He was a former resident of Great Bend. He leaves to mourn: his faithful wife, one daughter, Edna, of Minneapolis, one grandchild, one brother and four sisters.

Those from Great Bend who attended the funeral on May 30th, at Fergus Falls were: Mr. and Mrs. H. Manske, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Bohn, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Bohn, Mrs. E. H. Bohn, Mr. and Mrs. Adolph and Otto Ziegelman, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Beling, Mrs. Ambach, Mrs. Rudy Gollnick, Mrs. Ernestina Bohn, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Adamson and Mrs. Weiss.

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June 1, 1939

HAMMER....Mr. and Mrs. John Moen have been visiting here since Tuesday of last week. On Wednesday they motored to Lac qui Parle County, MN., where they attended the funeral services for Mr. Moen's brother, Helmer. They returned to their home at Grand Forks last Tuesday.

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June 1, 1939

#### MRS. N. KRESBACH DIED AT VELVA

Word was received in Hankinson Monday telling of the death of Mrs. Nick J. Kresbach on that day at Velva, ND. Funeral services will be held Friday at Wabasha. Her husband and one son, Daniel, Survive.

Mr. and Mrs. Kresbach at one time owned a store located on the site of the present Kjelstrup's Store. They were residents of Hankinson for about 15 years, leaving prior to the war for Velva, where Mr. Kresbach is postmaster.

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June 8, 1939

### ATTEND FUNERAL

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Paulson left Thursday for Battle Lake to attend the funeral of Mr. Paulson's sister, Mrs. Clara Vennerstrom, who died on Tuesday.

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June 8, 1939

## FORMER MANTADOR YOUNG LADY DIED OF SEVERE BURNS

The Mantador and Hankinson communities were grieviously shocked to learn of the tragic death of Mrs. Albert Flock (nee Margaret Schmitz,) who was burned to death in a June 3rd accident in her home in Chicago.

Mrs. Flock was preparing dinner on a gas stove and while waiting for her food to cook preceded to hang curtains near the stove. A breeze from an open window caused the flames to ignite the curtains, which she promptly extinguished, unaware that her house frock she was wearing had also caught fire.

Discovering this she became panic stricken and ran out on the porch screaming for help. A neighbor hearing her scream, ran to her aid and succeeded in getting off her clothing but not before she was severely burned. The burns covered her entire back from her neck to her ankles. She was rushed to the Raven's Wood Hospital and received the best of attention medical science could provide. At first hopes were held for her recovery but after three days toxin poisoning set in affecting her kidneys and heart, and for three days she survived in a coma; passing away on June 9th, at 7:45 PM.

Before her death she received all the benefits her church could provide and her body was prepared for burial and shipped to the home of her birth, arriving in Mantador June 12th, and being taken to the home of her parents to lie in state until Wednesday morning.

Funeral services were held at Sts. Peter and Paul's Church Wednesday. Father Schneider officiated at Requiem High Mass. Her brothers serving Mass.

Margaret, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Schmitz, was born in Mantador on July 26th, 1918. She spent her school life there thru the third year of High School going to Hankinson to finish her fourth year.

She married Albert Flock and they made their home in Chicago for about 6 months. Her brother, Stephen also made his home with them.

Pallbearers were former classmates of Margaret's. She leaves to mourn her loss; a loving husband, father, mother, four sisters and five brothers. The sympathy of the entire community is extended to the bereaved ones during their acrow.

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June 15, 1939

## MRS. CHARLES P. KORTH DIED AT SAN HAVEN

Last rites for Mrs. Chas. P. Korth, who passed away at the San Haven Sanitorium in Dunseith, ND., on Saturday morning, June 10th, were conducted Tuesday afternoon in the Lutheran Church, a multitude of relatives and friends attending to pay their last respects to a kind mother, and hear the sermon and words of comfort delivered by Rev. J. P. Klausler.

Mrs. Charles P. Korth, born Minna Hartleben, was born February 29th, 1896, northwest of Hankinson. To this union nine children were born, of whom one preceded the mother in death six years ago. Mrs. Korth had been in ill health for several years. She entered the Sanitorium at Dunseith in December of 1937, and passed away June 10th.

Her early death is mourned by her husband, her children, Elroy, Lorraine, Wilbert, Elizabeth, Evelyn, Marion, Wilma and Yvonne. Six brothers and seven sisters as well as numerous other relatives mourn her untimely passing. Interment was made in the Immanuel Lutheran Cemetery.

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June 15, 1939

#### MRS. WALTER THIELE DIED

Citizens of this community were very sorely grieved Saturday evening to learn of the death of Mrs. Walter B. Thiele which occurred at 8 o'clock PM., after only a three weeks' illness. The young mother was taken ill a few weeks ago and last Tuesday was taken to the Kersten Hospital in Hankinson, suffering from blood poisoning and she answered the call of our Heavenly Father Saturday evening at the age of 38 years. Funeral services were held Wed-

nesday afternoon at the Evangelical Church of which she was a faithful member, Rev. W. Hoy delivering the sermon.

Mable Thiele (nee Laboda) was born on January 2nd, 1901, in Great Bend, where she grew to womanhood. The daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Laboda. She was married to Walter Thiele on November 25th, 1919 and to this union four sons were born, Elden, Everett, Dennis and Noble. In the home and the community the loss of Mrs. Thiele will cause heartaches that are alleviated only by the knowledge that the mother is safely secure in the arms of her Redeemer.

Relatives surviving to mourn their loss are: her husband, four sons, all at home, one daughter-in-law, her father, Ed. Laboda, of Yakima, WA., two brothers, Arnie and Robert, of Great Bend; one sister, Mrs. Alor Pratt, of Great Bend; and one half-brother and sister, Adolph Worner, of Wahpeton, and Mrs. George Heidner, of Tyler, Two step-brothers, Alfred and Philip Worner, and one step-sister, Mrs. Josh Bechtal.

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June 15, 1939

## MICHAEL ELSEN FUNERAL TODAY

Michael Elson, 82, died Tuesday morning at the Krump Hospital, after a three years illness.

Funeral services were held this morning at St. Philip's Church with Father Studnicka officiating.

A former veteran of the German Army, he came to America in 1882, settling first in Wisconsin, and then moved to Richland County where he took up farming, retiring many years ago.

He was married to Sarah Walker, of Portage, WI., at Wahpeton, in 1896. Surviving are two sons, Mathew of Hankinson, and William of Fargo, and three step-children, Henry Walker of Canada; George, of Philadelphia, PA., and Mrs. Nellie Barnes, of Wenatchee, WA.

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June 15, 1939

#### GOOLSBEY DIED

LIDGERWOOD....Funeral services were held Saturday afternoon for Mrs. Warren Goolsbey 80 years old, who died May 31st, in the Wahpeton Hospital of heart disease. She had been ill several weeks.

Services were held at 2 PM., in the Methodist Church with Rev. D. E. Meyer, of Fairmount, officiating.

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June 15, 1939

## MRS. JESS PEIFER DIED THURSDAY

The passing of Mrs. Jess Peifer from the scenes of this earth last Thursday evening brought sadness to many relatives and friends. Mrs. Peifer had been reared in the Hammer community and was well known to many people.

Lillia Julia Weinkauf was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Weinkauf and was born on March 22nd, 1914, at Buffalo, SD., where they had formerly lived. They moved to the vicinity of Hammer. In the following year the family moved onto a farm about six miles north of Hammer which continues to be the family home. Mrs. Peifer was received into active membership with St. Paul's Evangelical Church, north of Hammer on September 9th, 1928. On November 10th,

1934, she was united in marriage to Jess Peifer, of Litchfield, MN. The young couple established their home in Litchfield, and have since resided there.

Mrs. Peifer was taken ill soon after the beginning of this year. A few months ago she was taken to a hospital in Sisseton, SD., for treatment. She passed away there in the evening of Thursday, June 15th, 1939.

She leaves to mourn her departure, her husband, Jess Peifer, her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Weinkauf, her father-in-law, Mr. Nicholas Peifer, three brothers, Gustav, Norbert and Oswald, three sisters, Mrs. Hilda Kutter, Lorinda and Estella and other more distant relatives and many friends.

## MISS MARIE HINCK DIED AT OSSEO

Word was received here today that Miss Marie Hinck, of Osseo, MN., daughter of the former Rev. T. Hinck, of Great Bend, died Wednesday afternoon in a Minneapolis Hospital and will be buried Saturday afternoon at Osseo.

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June 22, 1939

#### MRS. PETER SPARBY PASSED AWAY TUESDAY AT FARM HOME

ROSHOLT....Mrs. Peter Sparby, an old timer, passed away at her home, north of town, Tuesday morning, June 20th, 1939, at 9:15. She was 71 years old and the immediate cause of her death was high blood pressure.

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June 22, 1939

## ATTENDS FUNERAL

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Osborn and Ruth attended the funeral of Judge Stadlum at Moorhead Friday. Judge Stadlum was killed when struck by a hit-and-run driver Tuesday, June 20th.

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June 29, 1939

### MRS. CHAS. BELLIN CALLED IN DEATH

Funeral services for Mrs. Chas. Bellin, who passed away Monday, were held today at St. John's Lutheran Church at Belford, Rev. W. Cordts officiating.

Ida Anna Augusta nee Tiegs was born December 15, 1874, at Ironridge, WI. At the age of 5 years, her family moved here to Belford Township, five miles north of Hankinson, and she was confirmed on the 28th day of April 1889 by the late Rev. T. Hinck. In 1894 she was united in marriage to Charles Bellin. Eleven children were born to this union, of which two have preceded her in death, Bernard in 1896 and Helen in 1902. She resided in Belford about 49 years and then moved to a farm near Lidgerwood, ND., and in 1934 moved to Hankinson, ND., where she has since lived. In the winter of 1915 she encountered misfortune in a fall and had been ailing since. Last year she spent most of her time in bed. Sunday, June 18th, she suffered a stroke and another one Tuesday, June 20th, after which she was unconscious most of the time. Monday evening at 9:15 she fell asleep very peacefully into the hands of our Lord. Her family being by her bedside continually until death took her away.

She had a wonderful Christian character, a loyal wife, a truely devoted mother, a kind and sympathetic neighbor and a true friend.

She is survived by nine children and seventeen grandchildren, Richard and Reinhard H., of Wahpeton, ND., Mrs. Clara Lentz, of Lidgerwood, ND., Mrs. Ann Zander, of Pelican Rapids, MN., Mrs. Adele Buntin, of Minneapolis, MN., Mrs. Leona Foeltz, of Rosholt, SD., Mrs. Ida Fink, of So. St. Paul, MN., Minnie and Verona, of Minneapolis and St. Paul. She is also survived by two brothers, Frank and Robert Tiegs, of Hankinson, ND., and one sister, Mrs. Mathilda Heine, of Ellendale, ND.

Pallbearers were: Herman Tiegs, Gerhard Tiegs, Theodore Heine, Walter Tiegs, Ed Krause and Walter Bladow.

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June 29, 1939

Mrs. Matt Kinn and George Kuhlwine returned from St. Paul, Tuesday after attending the funeral of the latter's brother.

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June 29, 1939

#### SISTER DIES

#### ALBERT WITT DIED TODAY

Mr. Albert Witt, son of Erich Witt died this (Thursday) morning in the University Hospital at Minneapolis.

Funeral services will be held Sunday afternoon at 1:30 at the home and at 2 o'clock at the Belford Lutheran Church.

Mr. Witt was taken to the Minneapolis Hospital two weeks ago for treatment after three years of failing health, which became critical about three weeks ago. An obituary will be published in next week's paper.

July 13, 1939

## DEATH OF UNCLE

Alice Stenger received word that her uncle, John Wall, had passed away at Lodi, WI., last week.

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ROSHOLT....This community was stunned Sunday afternoon when news came of the death of Earl William Teare, 18, son of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Teare, Earl William was drowned Sunday noon, while swimming in Lake Kampeska, near Watertown, SD.

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July 13, 1939

## PETER RICHIED FUNERAL FRIDAY

Peter Richied, 76, died Wednesday morning at 8 o'clock at the County Farm near Wahpeton. He was born January 6th, 1865 at Bruckenthal, Austria. He was united in marriage to Susanna Gottfried at Bruckenthal and to this union two children were born, Martin, of Hankinson and Elizabeth. Mr. Richeid came to the United States in 1885 and has lived in Hankinson ever since.

Funeral services will be held Friday from St. Philip's Church at 9 o'clock. He is

survived by his wife who lives in Austria and the two children.

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July 13, 1939

## SECOND DROWNING FOR ROSHOLT IN TWO WEEKS

Beverly Exstrom, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Manfred Exstrom, southeast of Rosholt, was drowned on July 13th, in North Long Lake, nine miles north of Brainerd. In company with another girl, Beverly had gone out a short distance from shore to bathe and as she left the boat, was instantly seized with cramps and went down in five feet of water.

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July 20, 1939

#### OBITUARY

Albert Herman William Witt, son of Erich and Emma Witt, nee Rakow, was born in Brand-enburg Township, August 30, 1907. On October 13th, he was baptized in the Lutheran faith and in the year 1924 was confirmed in our church at Hankinson. All of his short life was spent in the community where he was born, where all knew him as a quiet and industrious young man. He was always a faithful attendant at church and communion.

About three years ago he became afflicted with a fatal blood disease. Repeated Xray treatment gave him some relief and last fall it seemed as though he might recover fully. This spring, however, a turn for the worse set in, and about a month ago he began to suffer severe pains in the limbs. Grasping at every hope that was held out to him he went to Jordan, MN., for treatment, and last Monday to Minneapolis. He was planning on coming home with his father on Wednesday evening, but God willed it otherwise.

Early Thursday morning, about 3 o'clock, he was called from this vale of tears to our home in Heaven at the age of 31 years, 10 months and 14 days.

There remains to mourn their loss: his father, Erick Witt, one brother, Robert, and three sisters; Mrs. Anna Bohn, Mrs. Minnie Bohn and Mrs. Martha Gehler.

Whatever God ordains is good, his righteous will abideth,
I will be still what e'er he doth. And follow where he guideth.

He is my God, though dark the road

He knoweth how to shield me, Wherefore to Him I yield me.

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July 20, 1939

## JOHN BUSTA BURIED IN MINOT

LIDGERWOOD....Funeral services were held last week in Minot for John J. Busta, 65, who died there July 2nd, of heart disease and asthma.

### FORMER GREAT BEND PIONEER WOMAN DIED

Mrs. John Worner Passed Away at Wheaton, MN.

Word was received here today that Mrs. John Worner passed away at her home in Wheaton, MN., Wednesday noon.

Funeral services will be held at Great Bend, Sunday at 2 PM., at the Lutheran Church

with Rev. Rengstorf, officiating.

## ACCIDENT SUNDAY KILLS FATHER OF FAIRMOUNT WOMAN

FAIRMOUNT....Mrs. Dick Kurtz received a message Sunday morning conveying to her the news that her father had been accidently shot that morning while hunting gophers in his garden at Walker, MN. Mr. and Mrs. Dick Kurtz left immediately for that place. Funeral services were conducted Wednesday afternoon at Walker, MN.

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August 3, 1939

#### OBITUARY

Funeral services were held Sunday at the Evangelical Church at Great Bend, Rev. Hoy and Carse officiating for Mrs. John Worner.

Elizabeth Ziegelman was born in Germany on Oct. 26th, 1865, and came to the United States in 1873, settling in the Great Bend vicinity with her parents. She was married to John Worner at Great Bend on Dec. 21st, 1882. They lived in Great Bend until 19 years ago when they moved to Wheaton. She died July 26th, 1939.

She is survived by six sons, John of Minneapolis, Edwin and Arthur, of Wheaton, Reuben of Fresno, CA., and Ara of Minneapolis. All attended the funeral except Reuben. Pallbearers were sons and one grandson, Earl. Mrs. Worner was a member of the Evangelical Church. Brief services were conducted at Wheaton at 1:30 previous to the service at Great Bend.

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August 3, 1939

BELFORD....Mr. and Mrs. Robert Tiegs went to Milwaukee, WI., via train Friday where they attended the funeral of Mrs. Tiegs' brother, Otto Griepentrog. They also visited with Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Tiegs and Janet. They returned home on Monday.

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August 3, 1939

GREAT BEND....ATTEND FUNERAL....Word was received from Milwaukee, WI., that Otto Griepentrog died Wednesday. Among those from here who left early Friday morning to attend the funeral were Mr. and Mrs. H. Prochnow and Mrs. Wm. Gollnick. Mr. Griepentrog was a brother to Mrs. Gollnick and Mrs. Prochnow.

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August 3, 1939

#### DR. J. M. ALLEN OF ROSHOLT DIED TUES.

Dr. J. M. Allen, for many years local physician in Rosholt, passed away at the Breck-enridge Hospital, Tuesday evening, August 8th, at 11:15.

He had been an invalid for the past two years, suffering from heart trouble, but was being cared for at his home until last Monday, when he was taken to the Breckenridge Hospital, where it was found he had a ruptured appendix. He was operated on that same day, but in his weakened condition, could not rally and passed away as stated above.

Mrs. Maurice Allen, formerly of Hankinson, was a daughter-in-law of the deceased.

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August 10, 1939

## THREE PEOPLE DIED IN CAR WRECK: FUNERALS SATURDAY

Mantador Citizens Lose Lives When Car Plunges Into River From Bridge
Funeral services will be held for the three accident victims at St. Peter and Paul's
Catholic Church in Mantador Saturday morning at 9 o'clock, according to present arrangements.

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Death rode the highway Tuesday night. In an auto crash three Mantador people were killed as the car in which they were riding crashed through a bridge railing and dropped 25 feet into the Maple River, south of Chaffee.

Joe Thiel, 34, proprietor of a Mantador business, and his sister, Mrs. Wm. Heitkamp, 39, died in the wrecked car as it lay on its side in the river.

Mr. John Thiel, Sr., 80 years old, father of the other two victims, died in a Fargo Hospital where he was taken following the accident.

Other occupants of the car who were injured were Mrs. Matt Thiel and Mrs. Wm. Thiel, of Wyndmere, both daughters-in-law, of John Thiel, Sr., Arlin Schultz, 15 month old son of Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Schulta, of Mantador was saved by Mrs. Matt Thiel.

The wounded trio went to the Jackson farm nearby and Mrs. Thiel was taken by a school teacher to the Fargo Hospital for treatment. Mrs. Wm. Thiel suffered bruises and the child was suffering from shock. They were taken to their homes in Mantador.

The party was returning from a silver jubilee given for Rev. James A. Thiel's entry into the priesthaood, at Wimbledon. Joe Thiel and Mr. John Thiel were in the front seat, the the balance being in the rear. Suddenly, as they rounded a curve, the car tore into a bridge, tore off the small railing and plunged to the bottom of the stream.

Mrs. Matt Thiel and Mrs. Wm. Thiel, the latter carrying the child escaped through the door, crawled to the road and flagged a truck, who with others removed the dead and wounded men from the partly submerged car. A stopped watch on Joe Thiel's wrist showed the accident happened at 9:35.

Surviving Mrs. Heitkamp, are her husband, a war-injured veteran and seven children, the youngest two years of age; also Mrs. Heitkamp and brother, Joe, leave two brothers, Matt and William; three sisters, Mrs. Elizabeth Acter, Geneva, IA.; Mrs. Alf. Woiwode, Lake Mills, IL.; and Mrs. Wm. Breuer, of Mooreton, to mourn their loss.

Mr. John Thiel, Sr., is survived by two brothers, Peter of Mantador, and Jacob, of Fayette, IA.

The wrecked car belonged to Ada Wandersee, and was one of the four cars to make the Wimbledon trip. The Gene Reinke car, with John Thiel, Albert Reiland, Arnold Reiland and Alois Thiel, was traveling behind the Joe Thiel car, but Joe, who was intending to come down on No. 18, turned too soon and the cars became parted.

The cars stopped enroute at Valley City for a little lunch and then resumed their journey. Following the notice of the terrible accidnet Fred Brandt, Joe Merch, H. Nepper, Jerry Schieb, Raymond Boeker, Matt Merch, in the Arnold Jentz truck drove to the accident scene and brought the wrecked car to Mantador.

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August 10, 1939

### FORMER MANTADOR MAN DIED LAST FRIDAY

Friends of Mr. Ben Koster, of Fairmount, ND., were saddened to hear of his death which occurred at the Wahpeton Hospital Friday. He leaves to mourn their loss, his wife and five children, besides numerous other relatives.

The Kosters were former residents of the Mantador community and all join in extending sympathy to the bereaved relatives.

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August 10, 1939

### EFFINGTON LAD DIES SUDDENLY

NEW EFFINGTON....Alvin Anderson, 17, son of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Anderson, of old Effington vicinity, was found dead on the floor of his room about 8 o'clock Wednesday morning.

The lad's sudden death was first learned when his mother went to his room after he had failed to get up for breakfast. His body was found on the floor.

Coroner John W. Powell was notified and said death was the result of a sudden heart attack, the lad having apparently struggled and fell out of the bed before passing away.

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August 10, 1939

#### REUBEN NORTON FUNERAL HELD

LIDGERWOOD....More than 25 members of the Fergus Falls Elks Lodge attended the funeral services for Reuben (Rube) Norton, member of the Fergus Falls Lodge, who died Saturday at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Arthur Spooner, at Havana, ND. He was 82. The funeral services were held Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

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August 17, 1939

#### TRIPLE RITES FOR CAR DEAD

Triple funeral services were held at Mantador at 9 AM Saturday for the father, son and daughter, John Thiel, Sr., Joe Thiel and Mrs. William Heitkamp, who were killed in the automobile accident near Chaffee, 30 miles southwest of Fargo Tuesday night.

Pastor Schneider officiated at the rites, in St. Peter and Paul's Church, and burial was in the Mantador Catholic Cemetery.

Others injured in the accident are recovering, Mrs. Matt Thiel at St. John's Hospital and Mrs. William Thiel and Arlin Schultz, 1½, at their homes in Wyndmere and Mantador, respectively.

The funeral was attended by thousands of mourners from this grief stricken community.

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## 97 YEAR OLD WOMAN PASSED AWAY

Mrs. Wilhelmina Boehning, 97, resident of Marshfield, WI., died Friday morning,

according to word received by the grandchildren, the Boehning families, who reside in this community. Funeral services were held Monday. Mrs. Anna Boehning and Mrs. Art Boehning, of this community attended.

Mrs. Boehning came to America from Pommeran, Germany in 1879.

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August 24, 1939

#### MRS. JOHN KATH FUNERAL SATURDAY

Funeral services will be held Saturday, September 9th for Mrs. John Kath, who passed away after several months' illness, services being held at the home at 1:30 and at the Lutheran Church at 2 o'clock, Rev. Klausler conducting the services.

Mrs. John Kath, was born January 14th, 1881, in Stazig, Pommeran Province, Germany. At the age of three she came to America with her parents and settled in Minnesota. There she met John Kath and was married on January 15th, 1914. They later moved to North Dakota, living four miles southwest of Hankinson, and still later moved to Hankinson and have since resided here. Mrs. Kath was the mother of thirteen children, twelve of whom survive. She leaves to mourn: her husband, 12 children, 17 grandchildren, 1 sister, 3 brothers and 5 brothers-in-law.

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September 7, 1939

#### MANTADOR WOMAN DIED WEDNESDAY

Mrs. Math Reiland, Sr., prominent resident of the Mantador community, died at her home Wednesday morning at 2 o'clock, at the age of 83 years.

Funeral services will be held Friday morning at 9:30 o'clock in St. Peter and Paul's Church.

An obituary will be printed in next week's NEWS.

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September 7, 1939

## JOHN HEBER DEAD

VICTOR....Word was received here the past week, that John Heber, formerly of Victor Township, had died at the home of a sister in Germany. He was well advanced in years, and was well known to all old times in this part of the county. His son, John, is still a resident of Victor Township and has the old farm.

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September 7, 1939

## B. W. SCHOUWEILER DIED

NEW EFFINGTON...B. W. Schouweiler, who was president of the Bank of New Effington until a year ago, when his son, E. W. Schouweiler, took over the presidency, passed away at his home in Minneapolis. MN., Mr. Schouweiler died at the age of 85, from heart failure. He was one of the early pioneers in the New Effington community.

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September 7, 1939

#### ATTEND FUNERAL

Mr. and Mrs. D. S. McIlwain and Clifford, of Wahpeton, Mr. and Mrs. D. S. McIlwain, Jr., of Hankinson went to Minneapplis to attend the funeral of Mr. Ernie Olezindier on Tuesday.

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September 7, 1939

TRAVELS TO WEST COAST VIA AIRPLANE

Mr. M. Granell received a telegram Thursday noon, stating his brother, Hans, had died in Seattle, WA. Mr. Granell left Thursday night for Fargo where he boarded a Northwestern Airline plane and flew to Seattle. He arrived there Friday morning at 9 o'clock. Mr. Hans Granell succumbed to heart trouble after failing in health for six months.

He was proprietor of a huge chicken ranch. Mr. M. Granell returned to Fargo Tuesday morning by plane. While in Washington Mr. Granell visited with Mrs. Dwyer at Port Angeles, a former resident here. She sends her greeting to all her friends here.

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September 14, 1939

## HONORED WOMAN DIED SATURDAY

Funeral services were held Tuesday for Mrs. Patrick Lawler at St. Philip's Church, Rev. Fr. Studnicka conducting the Mass. The Angel of Death called Mrs. Lawler home Saturday at 2 PM., after a few hours illness.

Mary Elizabeth Miller was born November 26th, 1874, at Cedar Lake, Scott County, MN. In November of 1894 she was united in Holy Matrimony to Patrick Lawler at Morris, MN. The family later moved to Valley City, and in 1922 came to Hankinson, where they have since made their home.

Nine children blessed their union, of whom the following survive: Mrs. Catherine Retter, of Glacier Park, MT., Patrick F., of Long Prairie, MN., James R., of Hankinson, Mrs. Albert Olstad, of Milwaukee, WI., Daniel, of Mooreton, John E. of Remer, MN., and Raymond of Hankinson, also 17 grandchildren survive. Two children preceded their mother in death.

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September 14, 1939

#### ATTEND FUNERAL

Mrs. Clarisa Schroeder and children, Lucille, Marilyn and Church, attended the funeral of Mrs. August Foeltz at Detroit Lakes, MN., Saturday.

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September 14, 1939

## A FORMER RESIDENT OF HANKINSON DIED

Ambrose W. McDonald, who died Thursday, September 7th at the St. Cloud Hospital, had been ailing for quite some time from heart trouble.

He was born in Ontario, Canada in 1887. He had been a resident of St. Cloud for the past 21 years, previously having lived in Hankinson, ND., being an employee of the Hankinson Nursery.

Surviving him are his wife, Martha, four daughters, Norma, Ruth, Viola and Jean; one son, Kenneth; his mother, Mary Ann Mc Donald; a sister, Mrs. Angela Kahler, of Minneapolis, and a brother, Patrick, of Los Angeles, CA.

Pallbearers for the funeral services of Mr. A. W. McDonald, which was held Monday morning at 9 o'clock at the Holy Angels Church at St. Cloud, were Leo Lenzen, Joseph Lenzen, Fred Fleischman, William Martine, John Merklewitz and Leo Bennewitz.

Out of town relatives and friends attending the funeral were: Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Glander, Mr. and Mrs. Otto Glander and Mrs. Elsie Wagener, of Wahpeton, ND.; Mr. and Mrs. Harry Glander, of Thief River Falls, Mr. and Mrs. Otto H. Kohler, Mr. Carl Anderson and Miss Aurella Sokry, of Minneapolis.

September 14, 1939

### JOE PIETZ DIED IN MINNEAPOLIS

Joseph Pietz, 58, Hankinson, ND., and a son-in-law of Charles Gruessendorf, New Ulm, died at a Minneapolis Hospital Sunday afternoon, where he had been treated for a few days.

Funeral services were held from the Minnesota Valley Burial Association Funeral Home on North Broadway, today at 3:30 PM. Burial was in the City Cemetery.

Mr. Pietz, together with Mrs. Pietz and two children came to New Ulm in May by reason of the illness of the former and the family has made its home at the Charles Grussendorf home since.

Mr. Pietz was born at Moorhead on February 12th, 1881, but had resided at Hankinson, ND., nearly all of his life. He married Miss Elsie Grussendorf on June 12th, 1919.

They took up their residence in Hankinson, where he was employed at painting. He was Chief of Police of Hankinson four eleven years and a member of the Fire Department since their organization and one of the most efficient firemen the department ever had.

Mr. Pietz is survived by his widow, two sons, Charles and Robert, and the following brothers and sisters, John, Frank, Philip and Leo Pietz, Hankinson, ND.; Mrs. Helen Fulwider McAllen, TX., Mrs. Edwin Green, Minneapolis; Mrs. Roy Diamond, Detroit Lakes; Miss Teresa Pietz, Cincinnatti, OH., and Miss Agnes Pietz, Washington, DC.

Attending the funeral from Hankinson were: Mr. and Mrs. Ted Lein, Mrs. H. C. Worner, Mrs. A. H. Hein, Mrs. John Rahn and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Peitz; also Mrs. F. A. Farrington, Fergus Falls, Mr. and Mrs. Edmund Green of Minneapolis and Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Marlowe of Fairfax, MN., all former residents here.

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September 21, 1939

GREAT BEND....Donna Lou, 19 day old infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Zentgraph died September 14th at the Wahpeton Hospital and was buried Sunday afternoon at the Lutheran Church. Rev. Rengstorf officiating.

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September 21, 1939

#### JOSEPH PORTER DIES

CLAIRE CITY....Joseph F. Porter, resident of Roberts County since 1892 and early day Sheriff of this county passed away Monday, after suffering a stroke.

Funeral services were held at the Sisseton Chapel Wednesday.

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September 21, 1939

#### CHARLES BISEK DIED

NEW EFFINGTON....Death again entered the Charles Bisek, Sr., home, this being the second death in this family within a year.

Charles Bisek, Jr., passed away Friday, Sept. 8th, 1939. He had been confined to his bed since Saturday, when he contracted scarlet fever. Death defeated conscientious efforts by physicians and nurses.

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September 21, 1939

MRS. J. W. GREEN DIES

Mrs. J. Walter Green of Glenwood, who has been ill for several months, died

in Minneapolis Wednesday. Funeral services were held at Wahpeton on Saturday.

Marie I. Leinen was born January 18th, 1881 at Crookston, MN. married to J. Walter Green on Dec. 20, 1911. She is survived by her husband, 2 sisters and 4 brothers.

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September 21, 1939

#### GREAT BEND MAN KILLED: STRUCK BY AUTO

Albert Lubenow, 52, of near Great Bend, died this morning at 6 o'clock at the Wahpeton Hospital from injuries sustained when he was hit by an auto while riding a bicycle.

Lubenow was badly injured and was taken immediately to the hospital. The accident occurred a mile past Great Bend on the Tyler road. A tobacco salesman from Fargo was the driver of the car. Deceased was not married.

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September 28, 1939

#### MRS. MARY NOVAK

Mrs. Mary Novak, of Lidgerwood died Tuesday at the Krump Hospital. She has been failing in health all summer and has spent the past few weeks at the local hospital.

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September 28, 1939

### MR. SABIN MAUER DIED TUESDAY

Mr. Sabin Mauer, 80, died Tuesday at the Krump Hospital. He had been failing in health the past year. He was born February 16, 1859 at Bruckenthal, Germany, and has been making his home in Hankinson about 35 years. His wife preceded him in death in April of 1924 and five children died when infants.

Funeral services were held Thursday at 10 o'clock from St. Philip's Church. Mr. Mauer was a kind and pleasant citizen, and a faithful member of St. Philip's Church and it is with sorrow that our people learn of his death.

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September 28, 1939

## INFANT GORDON CHILD DIED IN HOSPITAL

Funeral services were conducted Sunday afternoon from the Lutheran Church for Dennis Elroy, infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Gordon. The baby had been born August 4th at St. Francis Hospital in Breckenridge where it also died. The people extend their heartfeldt sympathy to the parents in their bereavement.

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September 28, 1939

## SANDEN DIED OF WRECK INJURIES

George Sanden, 19, son of Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Sanden, near Mantador, died in the Brown Hospital, Monday. He was injured on Sept. 16th, in a car accident on Highway 18, north of Lidgerwood, when his car overturned. Ardyce Sanden, a sister, Hjalmer Olson and Ione Thue were also in the car but none of them were seriously injured. George was brought to the Brown Hospital September 17th and was getting along as well as could be expected, when embolism set in. He is survive by his parents, 3 brothers and 4 sisters.

Funeral services will be held Friday at 1 o'clock at the farm home and at 2 o'clock in the Wyndmere Church. Burial will be in the Gol Aal Cemetery.

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September 28, 1939

LAMARS....Mrs. Will Andresn received the sad news Sunday that her nephew, Mr. George Akerson, of Rosholt, had passed away Sunday at the Wahpeton Hospital. He had been suffering from lockjaw for a week.

## DAUGHTER OF MR. AND MRS. L. WAHL DIED

BELFORD....Mr. and Mrs. Charles Witt and Alfred attended the funeal of John Wiebusch on Friday afternoon.

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### KOPPELMAN BOY DIED FROM CIRCLE SAW CUT

Ralph Koppelman, little nine year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Koppelman of Brandenburg Township, died at Brown's Hospital in Hankinson, the result of injuries received when his leg was cut by a circle saw on his father's farm. The accident was reported in last week's NEWS.

In some manner, the little boy got his leg entangeld in some wood his father was sawing and received a large cut from the whirling saw. He was rushed to the hospital where he received treatment. He passed away at 8:45 from complications following the accident.

Services were held at 1:30 from the home on Wednesday and from Trinity Lutheran Church with Rev. Rengstorf officiating at 2 o'clock. The little boy was born July 29th, 1928, in Brandenburg Township.

He leaves to mourn: his sorrowing parents, two brothers, Norman and Glen and one sister, Gladys, all at home. Pallbearers were Raymond Ziegelman, Howard Ziegelman, Raymond Stoltenow and Climert Miller. The deepest sympathy is extended to the bereaved parents and family.

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Carl Heger returned from Worthington, MN., where he attended the funeral of his brother,

John Heger. \* \* \* \* \* \* \* \* \* \* \* \* October 5, 1939

NEW EFFINGTON....The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Palmer Stave, who was born Tuesday evening at the Quinn Maternity Home, passed away a few minutes after its birth.

\* \* \* \* \* \* \* \* \* \* \* October 5, 1939

October 5, 1939

#### HENRY CLAUSEN DIED

#### DEATH OCCURS

The community was greatly shocked to hear of the sudden passing of Agnes Thompson, youngest child of Mr. and Mrs. Ole J. Thompson, who passed away Friday evening at the Britton Hospital. Funeral services were held at the Thompson home Tuesday at 1:30.

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October 12, 1939

## FUNERAL SERVICE HELD SUNDAY FOR MRS. SALEWSKI

Funeral services were held Sunday in the Holy Cross Lutheran Church for Mrs. Augusta Salewski, 80 years old, who died September 27th, in her home in Lidgerwood, after an illness of nearly a year. Rites were conducted by Rev. Julius Cloeter.

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October 12, 1939

#### DRIVER HELD IN BRAKEMAN'S DEATH

### MRS. FRANK McCONN DIES

Funeral services were conducted by Rev. DeWitt Myers, Sunday, October 8th, for the earthly remains of Mrs. Frank McConn, beloved wife and mother, who passed into eternity at 1:30 o'clock on Friday morning, Oct. 6th, following a severe heart attack, suffered a day or two earlier. ....FAIRMOUNT NEWS....

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October 19, 1939

#### JOHN LENZ 80 YEARS OLD DIED

LIDGERWOOD....Funeral services were held Monday in St. Boniface Catholic Church here for John Lenz, 80, who died in his home here October 5th, after an illness of four years. Death was caused by broncho-pneumonia.

Mr. Lenz was born on April 6th, 1859, in Union Hill, MN., and lived there until he was 25 years old. He then settled in Adrian, MN., living there 20 years. He had lived near Lidgerwood 35 years and in the city since 1919.

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October 19, 1939

## MAN IS KILLED BY SOO TRAIN

The Soo line passenger, eastbound out of Bismarck on the branch, struck Martin Swenson's car at a crossing at the west edge of Kulm at 4:15 PM., Monday as Swenson was returning to his farm five miles north of the town. The car was dragged more than 100 feet and demolished

as it was crushed between the engine and switch.

Swenson died at 5:40 in a doctor's offic at Kulm. Surviving are Mrs. Swenson and a son. John Bradford of Hankinson, was engineer of the train. Martin failed to see the train reported railwaymen, although the whistle and bell were both being used to warn the man. John Bommersbach was brakeman on the train.

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October 26, 1939

#### DEATH CALLS GUSTAF BLADOW HOME

Gustaf Bladow, residing in Claire City, and former Hankinson resident, died at his home in Claire City Friday from the ravages of cancer. Death followed a long illness, during which time he had sought relief in Minneapolis Hospitals.

Funeral services were held Monday from the Lutheran Church near Claire City, Rev. Cloeter officiating, and were attended by a large number of Hankinson relatives and friends.

Deceased was born in Elroy, WI., Oct. 19th, 1881. He moved to Richland County upon attaining manhood, where he spent many years in farming. He retired from active work several years ago, and moved to Claire City.

Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Oliver and family left the fore part of the week for Emery, WI., where they were called by the death of Mr. Oliver's father.

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October 26, 1939

#### HERMAN JOHNKE FUNERAL SATURDAY

Herman Johnke suffered a stroke at 3:30 yesterday afternoon at the gravel pit where he was working on WPA.

Following the stroke he was immediately brought to town and placed in the Krump Hospital. Dr. Beithon was out of the city and Dr. Sasse, of Lidgerwood was called to administer to the stricken man, but his condition was hopeless and death ensued.

Mr. Johnke, who was a Hankinson pioneer, was apparently in good health, and news of his death comes as a distinct shock to friends.

The funeral will be held Saturday afternoon from the house at 1:30 and from the Lutheran Church at 2 o'clock, Rev. Klausler officiating.

Herman Johnke was born in Berlin, Germany, April 16th, 1879. He immigrated to the U. States, locating in Richland County where he farmed south of town for 23 years. In 1914 he married Mary Draeger. Surviving to mourn their loss are: his faithful wife; one sister, Mrs. Robert Bladow and two brothers, Otto and Carl.

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November 2, 1939

#### CONDUCTOR FRANK BUCK KILLED IN MINNESOTA

Conductor Frank Buck, Soo Line employee, well known to railway men of this city, was killed Sunday at Moose Lake, MN.

Mr. Buck was sitting beside the stove in the caboose when the train came to a sudden stop and pitched him against the stove. His head struck the stove causing injury from which he succumbed. Deceased was a resident of Superior, WI.

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November 2, 1939

FAIRMOUNT....Friends of the community will be sad to hear of the death of Mr. Creighten Tracy, of Fairmount. He passed away Saturday evening.

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November 2, 1939

## JOHNSON A SUICIDE REPORTS CORONER

Herman Johnson, a well known farmer, 4 miles north of Rosholt, took his own life some time during the night, Saturday. His lifeless body was found by his son, Walter, Sunday morning, hanging from a tree north of the barn on his farm. He had evidently climbed the tree, fastened the rope around his neck and let himself down, dying from strangulation, his feet being about 18 inches off the ground.

Members of his family state he had on previous occasions threatened to take his own life, and his rash act was not altogether a surprise to the sorrowing wife. He was 69 years old, and filed on the farm on which he lived at the opening of the reservation.

Mrs. Johnson was visiting a nearby neighbor for the night and when arriving home Sunday morning, noticed his bed had not been used. She aroused the rest of the family and a search of the premises was made. The barns and outbuildings were searched without trace. Walter went thru the grove north of the barn, where he was found hanging from a tree, cold in death, indicating suicide. The Coroner was called out and he gave the verdict that he died by his own hand by hanging.

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November 9, 1939

MANTADOR....Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Goerger and Mrs. C. M. Puetz motored to Mayer Lake, MN., to attend the funeral of a relative Wednesday.

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November 9, 1939

## FORMER RESIDENT DIED IN MINOT

Nichola F. Schuster, 64, Soo Line foreman at Minot for the past 18 years, died Saturday in a Minot hospital, a sufferer from ulcers of the stomach. Funeral services were held in Minot Tuesday.

Mr. Schuster was section foreman on the Soo in Hankinson before going to Minot, coming to this city from Augusta, WI.

His wife, a daughter, Evelyn, at the home, two sons, Raymond, of Glasglow, MT., and Sylvester, at home, survive.

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NEW EFFINGTON....The community was deeply grieved to hear of the passing of Mrs. Walter Ekstrom, who passed away at the Wheaton Hospital, Thursday.

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November 16, 1939

Mr. Andrew Aadland, pioneer resident of Duerr Township, passed away. Funeral services were held Thursday, Nov. 9th, from the Norwegian Lutheran Church north of Hammer, SD.

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November 16, 1939

## FUNERAL SATURDAY FOR CARL ZANDER

Funeral services for one of Hankinson's pioneer citizens will be held Saturday afternoon at the Evangelical Church for Mr. Carl Zander, who passed away Wednesday, following failing health since he underwent.a major surgical operation four years ago.

Carl Zander was born in Germany in 1860, being a young lad at the time of the Franco-German war. On November 12, 1885 he was united in marriage to Henrietta Raisner in his native land. Fifteen years later, in 1900, with five children, he immigrated to the United States, coming directly to Hankinson, where he did a worthy part in building our community.

Just four years ago, Mr. and Mrs. Zander celebrated their Golden Wedding Anniversary, when friends and relatives from all over the community extended them felicitations.

### PROMINENT BOHEMIAN DIED

Mrs. Chas. O. Weston received word today from Fargo, announcing the death of Mr. Carl Napravnik Monday, Nov. 20th. Funeral services are being held at Forman Friday morning at 10 o'clock in the Catholic Church. The Westons are attending.

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November 23, 1939

## DEATHS

Dr. Lyle Durkee, 25, son of Dr. Chas. Durkee, of Abercrombie, prominent Richland County physician, died in an auto wreck when hit by Policeman English, in Chicago. Lyle was an intern in a Chicago Hospital. The Durkees were former Fairmount residents.

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Mrs. Olga Knudsen, formerly residing 6 miles south of New Effington, succumbed in Texas, and the body was shipped to Hankinson this morning.

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November 23, 1939

#### SISTER DIED

Grandpa Lenz received the sad news Sunday evening that his sister, Mrs. Marie Krueger, had passed away at her home in Wisconsin. Mr. Lenz was unable to attend the funeral.

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November 23, 1939

#### MRS. CHRIST HANSON IS CALLED HOME

Mrs. Christ Hanson, 47, residing south of Hankinson, passed away Friday, Nov. 24th, at a local hospital. Death followed failing health of several years' duration.

Mr. and Mrs. Hanson came here from Glasgow, MT., last summer, having purchased the Fred Bladow farm, and the community regrets the untimely death of this good Christian woman.

Irene Johnstone was born in Lexington, KY., January 1st, 1892, and in 1927 was married to Christ Hanson in Minneapolis. They later left for Montana to make their home. Her hus-

band is the only relative surviving.

Funeral services were held at the Lutheran Church Monday, Rev. Klausler conducting the service.

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#### FUNERAL HELD

### FRED BURVEE DIES AT AGE 69

Fred Burvee, 69, Fairmount, ND., died at 5:40 AM., Thursday, in a Fargo hospital in which he had been a patient since November 6th. The body was taken to the funeral home at Farimount on Thursday. Funeral services were held there.

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November 30, 1939

#### ATTEND FUNERAL

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Onchuck and family attended the funeral of August Matt at Wahpeton
Thursday.

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#### HOME BOY DIED

Harold S. Vinge, whose death occurred on Nov. 19th, was born at Zumbrota, MN., on June 4th, 1896. At an early age he came to Roberts County and lived with his stepfather Ole Vinge, until he reached maturity. When a young boy he suffered the loss of a leg, due to a kick by a horse.

The funeral services were held Wednesday, Nov. 22nd, when the body was brought from Minneapolis at the Nidaros Church, the pastor, Rev. V. C. Haugen, officiating. Deceased was a collector for a Minneapolis firm.

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December 7, 1939

Funeral services were held at New Effington, Friday of last week for James Toberg, who died at Grafton Tuesday, where he was an inmate of the State School for 4 years. He is survived by his mother, Mrs. Peter Toberg, and three sisters.

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December 7, 1939

### MATHIAS PUETZ OF MANTADOR DIED

The community was saddened at the passing of Mr. Mathias Puetz, Thursday evening at the St. Francis Hospital.

Mr. Puetz had been in poor health for a number of years, but despite this he still carried on his work as Village Postmaster until a few weeks ago. Mr. Puetz was well liked and will be sadly missed by all who knew him.

A large number from this community motored to Wahpeton Monday to attend the last rites at St. John's Church. Father Schnieder, of St. Peter and Paul's Church of Mantador, officiated. Pall bearers were all nephews of the deceased, namely: Messrs C. M. Puetz, V. J. Puetz, Leo Puetz, Nick Puetz, Raymond Puetz and Herbert Nepper.

Friends all extend their deepest sympathy to the bereaved wife and daughters.

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December 14, 1939

LAMARS....Friends and relatives of the John Stelton family were saddened to hear of the death of their infant son, which occurred Monday morning. The baby was born on Thursday morning and seemed in fine health, but death came after just four days.

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December 14, 1939

HAMMER....John Curran and mother left Monday for St. Paul to attend the funeral services for an uncle of John's who died last Sunday.

December 7, 1939

#### REV. EYRICH ATTENDS FUNERAL OF BROTHER

There were no services at Emmanuel Evangelical Church last Sunday, because Rev. and Mrs. Eyrich drove to LeSueur, MN., that morning to attend the funeral services for Paul Eyrich, brother of Rev. Eyrich, which were held in the home church of the Eyrich family on \* \* \* \* \* \* \* \* \* that afternoon. December 21, 1939

# MRS. SMITH DESILVA DIED WEDNESDAY FUNERAL SATURDAY Was Pioneer Woman Living in County Since 1879

Funeral services will be held here Saturday for Mrs. Smith DeSilva, who passed away at her home in this city after a short illness. Rev. W. M. Osborn will be in charge of the services at the Congregational Church at 2:30 o'clock and burial will be at Hillside Cemetery.

Louise Murphy was born in Michigan April 15, 1862, where she spent her girlhood later coming to North Dakota. On May 4th, 1879, she was married in Breckenridge to Smith DeSilva, who was pioneering in this yet undeveloped wilderness and they took an important part in improving our community. Later they moved to a farm northwest of town where they farmed until 1913 when they retired and moved to this city, where they have continued to make their home.

Surviving to mourn their loss are her husband, four daughters Laura Klinnert, Elgin, IL., Ethel DeSilva, Sisseton, SD.; Maude Wilson, Shelby, MT., Clara May Parades, Fort Benton, MT., Five grandchildren and 12 great-grandchildren.

The community mourns the passing of this pioneer lady, and extends their heartfelt sympathy to the surviving relatives. \* \* \* \* \* \* \* \* \*

December 28, 1939

## NELS RULIEN DIED AT MINNESOTA HOME

Associated in Business with Arne Kjelstrup For Many Years.

Mr. Nels Rulien, of Baudette, MN., died Friday, Dec. 22nd, at his home in that city. Death followed a two weeks' illness from a heart ailment.

Mr. Rulien was 76 years old. He was engaged in general store business in Hoffman for 25 years, later moving to Minneapolis, and then to Baudette. He was at one time president of 13 banks.

Mr. Rulien was in partnership with Arne Kjelstrup of this city, until the store was destroyed by fire in 1932, at which time the partnership was dissolved. Mr. Kjelstrup had been employed by Rulien in Hoffman for 10 years before they purchased the Hankinson business.

Surviving are his wife and five sons and one daughter. A host of friends in Hankinson

mourn the loss of Mr. Rulien, who became well known to our people, when on his yearly trips to this city.

Funeral services were held Saturday at Baudette.

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December 28, 1939

### FUNERAL HELD FOR IHC COLLECTOR

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Bellin and sons returned from Fargo Monday evening where they attended the funeral of A. E. Peterson, brother-in-law of Mr. and Mrs. Bellin.

Mr. Peterson was well known in this territory having formerly been a collector and salesman for the International Harvester Co., for many years.

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December 28, 1939

## FORMER MANTADOR MAN DIED

Henry Goeltz, of Havana, ND., died Dec. 26th, at his home in that city, a victim of a beart ailment. Funeral services will be held Friday afternoon.

Mr. Goeltz, is a Richland pioneer of the Mantador community, and left there for Havana around 1900. Mr. Goeltz is a son-in-law of Mrs. Albert Erb, of this city, and a brother of Mrs. John Woiwode, of Mantador.

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December 28, 1939

## NEUCROLOGY for 1939

#### JANUARY:

Joseph Bauer, George Hentz, Mrs. John Gabbert, Mrs. Wm. Heesch, August Schmidt, Mrs. J. Birnbaum.

#### FEBRUARY:

Henry Bohn, Mrs. August Miller, Henry Koppelman

## MARCH:

Ed. J. Roth, Mrs. H. Brummond, Fred Ebel, Carl Buckhaus, Mrs. John Stenger

#### APRIL:

Mrs. Gertrude Kinn

#### MAY:

Mrs. C. Jarski, Alfred Ambach, of Great Bend, Mrs. Reinhart Bellin, Sr.

#### JUNE:

Mrs. Charles Bellin

#### JULY:

Albert Witt, Peter Richied

#### SEPTEMBER:

Mrs. John Kath, Mrs. Math Reiland, Sr., Mrs. Patrick Lawler, Joe Peitz, Albert Lubenow killed in one of Richland counties three fatal accidents.

## OCTOBER:

Ralph Koppelman died from circle saw accident, Gustaf Bladow.

## NOVEMBER:

Mrs. Christ Hanson, Carl Zander, Herman Johnke.

#### DECEMBER:

Mathias Puetz, Mrs. Smith DeSilva, Mrs. Josie Carter.

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January 4, 1940

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#### MRS. JOSIE CARTER DIED THURSDAY

Mrs. Josie Carter died Thursday evening, Dec. 28th, at her home in Elma Township, after an illness dating from Thanksgiving Day.

Josie Carter was born in Bridgeport, CT., Feb. 17th, 1866, being 73 years old at the time of her death. She came to Richland County about 30 years ago, and has resided at the farm home south of town.

Private funeral services were held at the home Saturday, Rev. DeWitt Meyers of Fairmount, conducting the services. Burial was in Hillside Cemetery.

Surviving are her husband and one niece, Miss Ruth Morris.

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January 4, 1940

#### JOHN WORNER MISSING IN MINNEAPOLIS FIRE

One of the northwest most disastrous fires, the Marlborough Hotel fire in Minneapolis on Wednesday, claimed the lives of 20 people, with several occupants unaccounted for.

Among the missing is John Worner, son of the late Mr. and Mrs. John Worner, of Wheaton, MN., and a cousin of H. G. Worner, of this city, with many other relatives in this and the Great Bend community.

Worner has lived in Minneapolis for several years and was a tenant in the Marlborough Hotel. The noon radio broadcast reported that John was still among the missing and was evidently burned to death. Firemen are, however, still searching the ruins for bodies.

The fire followed an explosion in the garbage chute.

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January 4, 1940

NEW EFFINGTON....Funeral services were held Friday afternoon at the Funeral Home for the infant son of the Herbert Kutters who passed away Wednesday at Sisseton. We express heartfelt sympathy to the bereaved family.

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January 4, 1940

# ANGEL OF DEATH CALLS TWO HOME

Mrs. Katherine Richied Died Saturday

WM. HEESCH FUNERAL HELD TUESDAY

Mrs. Katherine Richied died at her home in this city Sunday. Funeral services were held Wednesday morning at 10 o'clock, Rev. Joseph Crowley, of Malta, MT., officiating at Requiem Mass at St. Philip's Church. Pallbearers were: John R. Scheller, Leo Scheller, Anton Fischer, Pete Jaeger, Pete DeFea and Nick Benroth.

Deceased was born in Austria on Nov. 9th, 1861. She was married to John Richied in that country in 1876. In 1900 she immigrated with her husband to the United States, coming directly to Hankinson, where she continued to make her home until death.

Surviving are five children: Mrs. John Scheller, Hankinson; Mrs. Margaret Budge, Laurel, MT., Mr. Frank Richied, Portland, OR.; Mrs. Pete Onsrud, Santa Rosa, CA., and 15 grandchild-ren and 12 great-grandchildren. Her husband preceded her in death in 1937.

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January 11, 1940

#### WILLIAM HEESCH

An aged resident of this community passed away on Saturday evening of last week, when death beckoned to Mr. William Heesch. Tho he had been ill for some time and was evidently failing, his passing at the time came unexpectedly, there being no indication of it until a few minutes before the end.

William Heesch was born in Schleswig- Holstein, Germany on August 18th, 1858. There he was baptized and after instruction in the fundamentals of the Evangelical faith, confirmed. When he was 21 years old he came to America with his family. Due to an accident, his father died shortly after they arrived in America.

Mr. Heesch was united in marriage with Miss Friederike Zuck in the year 1870. For a number of years they lived at Davenport, IA., then at Heron Lake, MN., and finally at Okabena, MN. Mrs. Heesch passed away in 1894.

On Dec. 29th, 1896, Mr. Heesch was united in marriage with Miss Emelia Voelz. They lived at Okabena until 1898, when they came to make their home in Greendale Township near Hankinson. There Mr. Heesch served as a member of the school board and as road boss for many years. In 1921 the family moved to Esteven, Canada, where they made their home for about 7 years. In 1928 they returned to a farm near Hankinson and in 1930 Mr. and Mrs. Heesch retired and made their home in Hankinson. They observed their 42nd Wedding Anniversary on Dec. 29th, 1938. A few weeks later, on Jan. 16th, 1939, Mrs. Heesch passed away. Soon after her passing Mr. Heesch went to make his home with his son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Reinhard Bladow, where he has since resided. There he passed away on the evening of Jan. 6th, 1940, at the age of 81 years, 4 months and 19 days.

He leaves to mourn him: two sons, William and Otto, five daughters: Mrs. Minnie Gollnick, Mrs. Laura Bladow, Mrs. Alma Bickerton, Mrs. Ella Medenwaldt and Mrs. Bertha Medenwaldt; seven sons-in-law, two daughters-in-law, two brothers-in-law, three sisters-in-law, thirty-seven grandchildren and eleven great-grandchildren, other relatives and friends.

Funeral services were held on Tuesday afternoon, January 9th, 1940 beginning at 1:15 PM., at the house of mourning and being continued at 2 PM., at Emmanuel Evangelical Church.

Interment was made on Emmanuel's Cemetery near this city. Rev. Eyrich officiated at the services.

The sympathy of many friends is extended to the bereaved in their sorrow.

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January 11, 1940

## FUNERAL HELD FOR PETER POLDA, PIONEER

Funeral services were held Wednesday at 2 PM., in the Methodist Church in Lidgerwood for Peter Polda, pioneer Lidgerwood resident who died January 1st in the home of his daughter, Mrs. Rose Mrachek, after a lingering illness.

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January 11, 1940

## HOLD FUNERAL FOR ZILPHY MURPHY

Miss Zilphy Murphy, of Mantador, died at the local hospital Wednesday, from complications attendant to old age. Deceased was about 78 years old. She has resided in North Dakota since the early 80's, residing at Wahpeton. Later she moved to the Murphy home-

stead near Mantador, and the place has continued to be her home since.

Funeral services will be held at the DeSilva home in Hankinson, Friday at 1 o'clock, Rev. Osborn conducting the services. Burial will be in the Moore Cemetery near Wahpeton.

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January 11, 1940

## BROTHERS DENY BODY IN MORGUE JOHN WORNER'S

Relatives of John Worner, one of the two men missing after the disastrous Marlborough Hotel fire, said Monday they believed his body was in the ruins of the three story building.

Worner's four brothers insisted that the only unidentified body at the Hennepin County Morgue was not their brother.

Firemen said they were certain however, there were no more bodies in the ruins.

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January 11, 1940

#### THIRD DEATH IN FAMILY IN TWO YEARS

#### ATTEND FUNERAL

Mike L. Fischer and his mother attended the funeral of John Hammerlick at Fairmount, ND., Wednesday.

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#### FUNERAL HELD FOR MRS. G. NEUMANN

"How quickly, ah, how suddenly may death be here and life be gone." The truth of this sentiment was again demonstrated in the passing from this life of Mrs. Gustave Neumann, on Maonday, Jan. 15th, 1940.

Leona Bertha Dierks was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Dierks and was born at Eden, SD., on March 16th, 1917. Later she moved with her family to Wahpeton, and there she grew to womanhood.

On June 4th, 1935, she was united in marriage with Mr. Gustave Neumann, the wedding taking place at Wahpeton. The young couple came to make their home in this community, living upon and operating the farm which is owned by the grooms mother, Mrs. Fred Neumann, located about 4 miles west of Hankinson. After living there several years, they built a home for themselves on a farm in the same vicinity and lived there for about a year.

At the close of the year she was taken to the Breckenridge Hospital where an operation was resorted to in an effort to bring her relief from her suffering. There she passed away peacefully in the late hours of Monday, Jan. 15th, 1940, having attained the age of 22 years, and 10 months.

Among those who deeply mourn her early passing are her husband, Gustave Neumann, her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Dierks, her mother-in-law, Mrs. Fred Neumann, her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Heincke, seven sisters, two brothers.

Funeral services are to be held on Friday, Jan. 19th, beginning at 1:45 PM at the Wipperman Chapel and being continued at Emmanuel Evangelical Church. Interment will be made in Emmanuel Cemetery south of this city. Rev. Eyrich will officiate at the services.

The sympathy of the community is extended to the sorrowing husband and other relatives in their sad bereavement.

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January 18, 1940

#### OBITUARY

Miss Zilphy Murphy passed away at 6:30 Wednesday evening, January 10th, at the Brown Hospital at Hankinson, ND., and her funeral services were held at the DeSilva residence on January 12th, at 1 o'clock and burial in the Moore Cemetery on the Wild Rice.

Miss Zilphy Murphy was born in Michigan on Dec. 10th, 1862. When she was about 7 years old, her parents moved to Sauk Centre, MN. Here she lived until she was 13 years old, when the family came west in 1875, and her father took up a homestead near where the town of Mantador now is. They were the first settlers in that part of the county and for many years lived the farthest west of any of the settlers there.

Miss Murphy was one of a large family, almost all of whom have passed away. She was her father's helper on the farm and experienced all of the hardships of pioneer life.

She always had a great love for her North Dakota home and lived on it all of her life after she came to North Dakota....64 years.

For the last 25 years she has lived alone. The death of her sister, Mrs. DeSilva, was a great shock to her, and soon after that death, she became ill and was brought to Hankinson, where she died on January 10th, 1940.

She is survived by a sister, of Sisseton, SD.

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January 18, 1940

#### PIONEER RANKS THINNED BY DEATH

Death once more decreased the rapidly thinning ranks of the pioneers of this section when, shortly after midnight of Sunday, Wm. Medenwaldt was suddenly and unexpectedly called by the Angel of Death. Though he had been failing for many months, he, nevertheless, had been up and around all day Sunday, enjoying the company of relatives and friends, seeminly in better health than in weeks past. At about half past twelve that night he was found dead. He attained an age of 77 years, 8 months and 11 days.

William Medenwaldt was born on May 11th, 1862, at Stettin, in Pommerania, Germany. Following the example of so many of the Germans of that time he left the fatherland coming to America in 1883, finding employment on farms of this section.

He was married to Miss Emma Krueger, daughter of Michael Krueger, with whom he, a little more than three years ago, celebrated his Golden Wedding Anniversary.

Fourteen children were born to the couple, of whom three died in early infancy, and one, Mrs. Edna Ambach, passed away about twelve years ago. The following survive, besides his wife, Ella, Mrs. Wm. Bladow; Otto; Martha, Mrs. C. Sherman, Victor, SD.; Richard, Lidger-wood; Lena, Mrs. Alfred Bohn, Great Bend; Erma, Mrs. Nick Ehr, Jessup, IA.; Alfred, Hankinson; Ewald, White Rock, SD.; Arthur, White Rock, SD.; Selma, Mrs. Peter Bommersbach; 42 grand-children, 10 great-grandchildren, 2 half brothers, Ben Medenwaldt, Hoquiam, WA.; Emil, of this city.

The funeral took place this afternoon (Thursday) from the local Lutheran Church, with

Rev. Klausler in charge, Interment was made in the Lutheran Cemetery north of town.

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January 25, 1940

#### FUNERAL HELD FOR LEONARD E. BRESNAHAN

Leonard E. Bresnahan, son of Mrs. Martina Bresnahan, passed away at his home at 3 AM., Friday, of a heart attack.

Funeral services were conducted at St. Philip's Church at 10 AM., Fr. Schuh conducting the services. Pallbearers were his cousins, Frank Bresnahan, Harry Bresnahan, Gordon Bresnahan, Edward Felton, Raymond Felton, Chester Felton.

Leonard was born at New Effington, SD., on April 14th, 1914, and was 25 years, 9 months old at the time of his death. Surviving to mourn their loss are: his mother, two sisters and one brother, Elmer and Jeanette at home and Mrs. Herbert Marquette, of Tenney, MN. His father preceded him in death three years ago.

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January 25, 1940

#### CLARENCE KLEIN POISON VICTIM

Clarence E. Klein, 65, of Fairmount, died Thursday night. Coroner L. E. Lester said an inquest was unnecessary, as it was a clear case of suicide.

#### FORMER HANKINSON PASTOR'S WIFE DIED TUESDAY

Mrs. Hans C. Juell, of Preston Lake, SD., wife of a former Hankinson Congregational Church pastor, died Tuesday. Rev. Juell was pastor here from 1914 to 1918. Her husband and two sons, Rev. Lawrence Juell, of Litchfield, OH., and Edward, and a daughter, Bertha, at Oberlin (Ohio) College survive.

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January 25, 1940

#### IMPROVEMENT REPORTED IN KJELSTRUP'S CONDITION

After a critical four day illness the condition of Mr. Arne Kjelstrup is reported to be greatly improved. Monday, Mr. Kjelstrup's condition was critical and the oxygen tent from Wahpeton was brought here to help him battle the serious effects of a heart ailment and a serious cold.

Miss Petra Kjelstrup, of Elbow Lake, C. P. Kjelstrup, of Minot, and Crist Kjelstrup, of Bismarck, arrived Monday to be at the bedside of their brother, Mr. Arne Kjelstrup.

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January 25, 1940

## OLE AUNE DIED

After an illness of nearly ten years and having been bed-ridden for over a year, Mr. Ole J. Aune, of the State Line community, died late Wednesday evening, January 17th, at the age of 77 years, 4 months and 10 days.

Funeral services were held Sunday, January 21st at the Walla Lutheran Church, Rev. R. C. Holm officiating.

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#### WAR VETERAN DIED

HAMMER....S. W. Birdsell, the oldest inhabitant of Minnesota Township and veteran of the Civil War, died at his home in section 29, Minnesota Township, early Monday morning, January 15th, 1940

Mr. Birdsell was born in Ontario, Canada, on June 14th, 1845, and was therefore at the time of his death 94 years and 7 months old.

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January 25, 1940

NEW EFFINGTON....Mr. and Mrs. Jim Nerison and Mrs. Margaret Nerison, left Monday for Duluth, called there by the death of the latter's brother-in-law.

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January 25, 1940

#### ANGEL OF DEATH CALLS HOME BELOVED CITIZEN

Mr. Arne Kjelstrup Succumbs Following Week's Illness
THOUSANDS OF MOURNERS ATTEND TO PAY SOLEMN HONOR AT FUNERAL TUESDAY

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A real loss was sustained by the city of Hankinson and the entire community, when Arne Kjelstrup, for many years a leading businessman of the city, was called from the scene of his earthly life last Saturday evening. Many hearts, which now hold him in loving and appreciative memory, were anxious during the time of the brief illness which preceded his death and the news of his passing was received through the community with sincere sorrow.

Arne Kjelstrup was the son of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Kjelstrup and was born in Christian-sund, Norway, on May 6th, 1878. When he was eight years old he came to America with his parents. They came at first to Erdahl, MN., but soon moved on to Hoffman, MN., where they established their home.

In September of 1905, Mr. Kjelstrup came to Hankinson entering into a business partner-ship with Mr. Otto Lindeke, and continuing therein for about 13 years. On August 12th, 1908 he was united in marriage with Miss Clara Heling, who survives him.

In 1918 his business partnership was dissolved and for a year after that Mr. Kjelstrup lived in Portland, OR. Then he returned to Hankinson and again entered into business as Kjelstrup and Company. This partnership was dissolved when the building was destroyed by fire in 1932. Rebuilding in 1933, Mr. Kjelstrup continued in business for himself until the time of his death. His last illness was of somewhat less than a week's duration. He passed away at his home in the city on Saturday evening, January 27th, 1940, at 11:10 PM. He attained the age of 61 years, 9 months and 21 days.

He leaves to mourn him, his sorrowing wife, Mrs. Clara Kjelstrup; two sisters, Miss Petra, of Elbow Lake, MN., and Mrs. R. G. Glarum, of McClusky, ND.; three brothers, Krist, of Bismarck, ND.; Carlvig, of Minot, ND.; and Edgar, of Parshall, ND.; five nephews, two nieces; other relatives and a large number of friends.

Mr. Kjelstrup was a faithful member of Emmanuel Evangelical Church, of the Commercial Club, of Hankinson, and of the Masonic Lodge No. 57. He loved and was beloved by his fellowmen and gave wholehearted support to every movement to improve the lot of man. His truly good life will long remain a blessed memory to many.

Funeral services were held on Tuesday, January 30th, beginning at 1:45 PM., at the house of mourning and continued at Emmanuel Evangelical Church. Interment was made in the Emmanuel Cemetery near this city.

The hearts of the community go out in sympathy to Mrs. Kjelstrup and the other relatives in their sad bereavement.

Active pallbearers were John Linehan, S. J. Backer, Joe Rindt, Otto Bladow, John A. Roth, L. K, Vick.

Honorary pallbearers were F. O. Healy, M. A. Wipperman, Sr., C. O. Weston, Paul Kinn Otto Lindeke, Dr. E. J. Beithon, Dick Bellin, Frank Peitz and Tom Schramm.

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#### MR. ARNE KJELSTRUP

With the untimely passing of such men as Mr. Arne Kjelstrup we come to a keen appreciation of the fact that a very notable number of citizens...the men who have contributed immensely to the developing, improving and leading our community, must go the way of all flesh.

History records how well he met up with his responsibilities. An immigrant lad, he came to America. He faced his trials, and they were many, with a determination and a will to succeed, where many would have turned back, and did. From this proving ground he emerged a splendid citizen, and has left his imprint upon the progress and development that has come to us. He had faith and he carried on, and while he may not have realized how great was his contributions, we who here have followed him have come to a deeper understanding of his real worth.

Mr. Kjelstrup served notably. In periods of uncertainty and depression he was one of the first to evidence his abiding faith in the community by stepping forth into a period of progress.

His charitable work among the unfortunate was always liberal, always unextentatious, but it alleviated poignant suffering in a great many homes. His activities in behalf of the youth of the community was exemplary. Always a leading spirit in any youth movement, he especially directed his energy and material support toward the organization of a fine juvenile band.

Mr. Kjelstrup's leadership in business was backed by donations to every cause which deserved consideration because of the potential benefit to the citizens of the community. An upstanding, conscientious Christian, whose example can be accepted by all, as that which is good and followed as a light which shines in the dark and leads to a better, brighter life.

## SALESMAN, WELL KNOWN HERE, DIED SUNDAY

Mr. H. F. Rohr, salesman for the Allis-Chalmers Co., and exceptionally well known and liked here, died Sunday night at the Breckenridge Hospital from pneumonia.

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February 1, 1940

## MRS. LENA MEYER OF FAIRMOUNT DIED

Mrs. Lena Meyer, well known and respected woman passed away at her home Monday, Jan. 22nd, after a lingering illness. Funeral services were conducted from St. Anthony's Church at Fairmount at 10 o'clock Thursday morning with Rev. Father Bierens officiating and burial was in the church cemetery at Fairmount.

Lena Hosch was born May 14th, 1875, at Calvary, WI., and came to Richland County with her parents when a child three years old. She was married in 1893 at Wahpeton to Mathias Meyer. Mr. Meyer died 18 years ago.

She is survived by 13 children. They are: Gilbert, of Hankinson; Matt of Fairmount; Mrs. James (Anna) Brandenberg, Armstrong, IA.; Mrs. Herman (Gertrude) Moeller, Rudolph, Jake, Nick, Mrs. A. Ennen (Margaret) and Frank, all of Fairmount; Alvis, Fairmount; Mike, Los Angeles; Leo, Fairmount, and Leona, Fairmount. A daughter, Agnes, preceded her mother in death. Frank, Nick, Leo and Lena are at home. A sister, Mrs. Rudolph Zentgraf lives in Wahpeton, and there are 29 grandchildren surviving.

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February 1, 1940

#### DEATH TAKES HEAVY TOLL IN COMMUNITY

Mrs. George Goff Passed Away Friday Night

Mrs. George Goff passed away February 2nd, at 9:18 PM., at her home in this city, death following an illness dating from April. Funeral services were held Monday, Feb. 5th, at St. Philip's Church, at 10 o'clock, Fr. Jos. Studnicka conducting Requiem Mass. Interment was in Calvary Cemetery.

Mary, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Matt Schramm, was born at Eden Valley, MN., April 17th, 1894, and with her parents came to Hankinson in 1902. On January 10, 1916, she was united in marriage to George Goff, and they moved to Havana, ND., where they made their home until they returned to Hankinson in 1926.

Mrs. Goff was employed as clerk in the Kjelstrup store, where through her pleasing personality and accommodating disposition, she made a host of friends who mourn her demise, and with her suffered during her long, painful illness. Throughout this travail, with Christian fortitude, she bore her burdens, and sought only to lessen the grief of friends and relatives.

Surviving are her husband, George Goff, her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Matt Schramm, four brothers, John, Tom, William and Dan; three sisters, Sister M. Irene, O. S. B., Urbank, MN., Sister M. Cleopha, O. S. B., St. Cloud, MN., and Mrs. I. A. Smith, Fairmount, ND.

The death of Mrs. Goff was the first in the immediate family of the Schramms in 49 years.

E. W. Green, John Roth, John Scheller, Mike and Joe Birnbaum and Gregory Bauer were the pall-bearers.

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# YOUTHFUL WALLMAN GIRL DIED OF RHEUMATIC FEVER

Deep sorrow entered the home of Mr. and Mrs. Emil C. Wallman and family, about four miles southwest of Hankinson, when after an illness of a number of weeks, Loretta passed into Eternity on Friday afternoon of last week.

Loretta Clara Ella Wallman was born near Hankinson on September 22nd, 1924. She was baptized on October 12th of the same year by Rev. C. Oberdoester. On March 21, 1937, she was was received into communicant membership with the Emmanuel Evangelical Church of this city, by the rite of Confirmation, administered to her as a member of the confirmation class of that year. She attended the public school of Hankinson.

After having suffered severe sieges of illness several times during recent years, she became ill again on January 10th of this year. She passed away on the afternoon of Friday, Feb. 2nd, 1940, having attained the age of 15 years, 4 months and 11 days.

She leaves to mourn her, her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Emil C. Wallman, five sisters and two brothers, her grandmother, Mrs. Fred Neumann, 12 uncles, 7 aunts, 26 cousins and other relatives and many friends.

Funeral services were held on Monday, Feb. 5th, 1940, beginning at the home at 1:20 in the afternoon and being continued at Emmanuel Evangelical Church. Rev. Eyrich officiated at the services. Interment was made in Emmanuel Cemetery.

The sorrowing relatives may be assured of the sincere sympathy of a wide circle of friends in their bereavement.

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February 8, 1940

#### MIKE GINSBACH FUNERAL HELD

Death called Michael Ginsbach Sunday afternoon at 3 PM., following a short illness of pneumonia, during which time he was receiving treatment in a local hospital.

Mr. Ginsbach was born in Germany, August 9, 1864. In 1918, he came to Hankinson from Elm Wood, WI., where he was engaged in carpentry and farming. He married Mrs. Veronica Reinke on May 3rd, 1918, and since made his home in this community. He leaves to mourn him, his sorrowing wife, Mrs. Veronica Ginsbach, 6 step-sons and 5 step-daughters, one preceded him in death. Mrs. Ernest Ambach, of Hankinson, Mrs. Morris O'Donell, of Glencoe, MN., Mrs. Roy Early, of Mooreton, Miss Elsie Reinke, of Grand Forks, Miss Jean Reinke, of Mooreton, Edward and Arnold Reinke, of Mantador, Joe and Matt Rkinke, of Mooreton, Raymond Reinke, of Fargo, Leonard Reinke, at home. He also leaves to mourn his adopted grandson, Lewis Ginsbach.

Pallbearers were his six stepsons, Honorary pallbearers were Wm. Frundt, Tom MacKove, of Fairmount, Jake Hentz, Tom and Joe Jereszek, of Lidgerwood and Joe Gruba.

Funeral services were held at 11 AM., Wednesday from St. Philip's Church, Fr. Studnicka conducting the services.

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## CARL NELSON DIED IN SISSETON

Mr. Carl Nelson, residing two miles south of the State Line, died Tuesday at the Sisseton Hospital, where he had been taken following a stroke.

Funeral services will be held at his home church in Roberts County, Saturday afternoon. Mr. Nelson is survived by his wife and several grown children.

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February 15, 1940

#### VANDERWERFF FUNERAL

The funeral services for Mr. Charles Vanderwerff on Friday was largely attended. Rev.

OLAF HANSON DIES

Olaf Hanson, farmer of three miles south of Dalberg Siding, suffered a stroke while on his way to work on WPA Monday, from which he died suddenly. His wife noticed him fall in a snow bank.

Mr. Hanson was a Legionaire, about 55 years old, and is survived by his widow and several children.

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February 22. 1940

# R. E. SMITH, FORMER SUPERINTENDENT DIED AT DICKINSON Was With Local Schools For Over 17 Years

R. E. Smith, 59, history instructor at the Dickinson State Teacher's College since 1927, died of heart and kidney ailments Saturday in a hospital in Dickinson. He had been ill since last summer.

Services were held Monday in St. Patrick's Church with Rev. M. M. Schmidt officiating. Burial will be at Michigan, ND., his former home.

Born at Charlottetown, Prince Edward Island, Canada, he came to the United States in 1903 and was high school principal in Michigan. He came to Hankinson in 1901 (?...should this be 1921?) and was principal of the local school for 17 years. He left here to accept a position at Dickinson where he remained until his death.

Surviving are Mrs. Smith; three daughters, Mrs. H. R. Lamb, of Michigan; Mrs. E. T. O'Conner, of Evanston, IL., and Mrs. R. T. Kiley, of Janesville, WI.; two sons, R. H. Smith of Cleveland, OH., and William E. Smith, of Dickinson, and two sisters, Mrs. John F. Trainer of Calgary, Alberta, Canada and Mrs. Henry Conolly, of Charlottetown.

February 22, 1940

## STATE LINE MAN DIED IN SISSETON

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Joe Danek Funeral Will Be Held Saturday at Home

Joe Danek, 52, of the State Line, died at the Sisseton Hospital early this morning. Funeral services will be held from the home Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock, Rev. Falk officiating. Interment will be at the Bohemian Cemetery.

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February 29, 1940

NEW EFFINGTON....A large crowd attended the funeral of Carl Nelson at the Ferkinstad Church, south of Hammer, last Saturday.

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February 29, 1940

## HERMAN MANSKE FUNERAL SATURDAY

Mr. Herman Manske, of Great Bend, died Wednesday morning at 8:15 o'clock while delivering milk on his route. Apparently in good health he had reached the home of Mrs. Ida Ambach, when he collapsed. Alvin Ambach took him to his home but he passed away half an hour later. Mr. Manske was 50 years old. He leaves to mourn his wife and one son, Willert, of Breckenridge, and Mrs. Eldon Thiel, at home. Also two grandchildren.

Funeral services will be held Saturday afternoon from the Trinity Lutheran Church.

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March 7, 1940

#### MRS. WM. VEDDER DIED TODAY

Mrs. Wm. Vedder, pioneer lady of Hankinson, died today at the Brown Hospital, following an illness of more than a year's duration.

Funeral services will be held at the home at 2 o'clock and then at the Lutheran Church, Sunday afternoon, Rev. Klausler officiating.

An obituary for this Christian pioneer will be published in next week's paper.

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March 7, 1940

#### BODY OF WORNER IS IDENTIFIED

E. G. Worner, of Wheaton, MN., left for Minneapolis, Monday, for the purpose of identifying a body taken from the Marlborough Hotel fire of January 19th, when 19 persons lost their lives.

#### CAYUGA WOMAN DIED IN CRASH

## MOTHER OF MR. ALDRICH DIED IN CALIFORNIA

Mr. L. E. Aldrich received the sad news of the death of his mother, Mrs. L. J. Aldrich, March 1st, at Glendive, CA. Mrs. Aldrich had been ill for some time. She was quite well known in Hankinson where she had visited at different times.

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March 7, -1940

## ATTEND FUNERAL

Mr. and Mrs. Elroy Kinn left Sunday for Garden City, SD., to attend the funeral of Mr. Haugen, which was held on Monday, Mrs. Kinn remained for a week's visit.

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March 7, 1940

## SOO TRAIN HITS AUTO

Isador Irion and W. P. Issak, two farmers of Kulm, enroute to a farm near Cathay, were killed by a Soo Line train, Friday, when the engine crashed into their car.

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March 7, 1940

## ERICK BERGQUIST DIED

#### MRS. WM. VEDDER

Mrs. Wm. Vedder, nee Emilie Winter, was born August 16th, 1853 in Pommerania, Germany. In the early spring of 1871 she came to the United States to Janesville, WI. On Oct. 12th, of that year she was married to Wm. Vedder, who had immigrated to the United States in the same year. Eleven children were born to the couple, of whom three preceded the mother into eternity.

In April, 1879, she came with her husband to Dakota Territory, settling on the homestead northwest of town. There they remained until the fall of 1912, when they moved to town.

Mrs. Vedder died Thursday, March 7th, after an illness of many months. Funeral services were conducted Sunday from the Lutheran Church, burial was in the Lutheran Cemetery north of town.

Thus ended the life of another of our hardy pioneers, who had endured the hardships of life in the deep woods of Wisconsin and on the lone prairies of North Dakota. Death broke up a remarkable married life these two having been married for nearly 67 years.

Besides her husband she is survived by the following children, William, Mrs. Amanda Korth, Mrs. Mathilda Stach, Fred, of St. Ansgar, IA., Robert, Mrs. Anna Krahn, Osage, IA., Mrs. Minnie Kirchgatter, of St. Ansgar, IA., and by 22 grandchildren and 33 great-grand-children.

## MR. HERMAN MANSKE

Herman Manske was born July 14th, 1889, at Gillett, WI. In 1903 he was confirmed in the German Lutheran faith in Wisconsin and at the age of 16 came to Richland County, settling in the Great Bend vicinity. On Nov. 6th, 1912, he was married to Hilda Bohn, of Great Bend. They resided on a farm here until his death.

He leaves to mourn: his wife, one son, Willert, one daughter, (Pearl) Mrs. Elden Thiele, two grandchildren, three brothers, Alfred, Walter and Edward, of Wisconsin, and three sisters; Mrs. H. C. Mittag, of Great Bend, Mrs. Bertha Mittag, of Wisconsin, and Elizabeth Manske. A large number of people attended the funeral services at the Trinity Lutheran Church on Saturday afternoon at 2 PM., to pay their last respects to a much loved friend and to extend their deepest sympathy to the grieving family. Interment was made in the Lutheran Cemetery with Rev. J. Rengstorf officiating.

The relatives who attended from a distance were Mr. and Mrs. Walter Manske, Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Manske, Mr. and Mrs. Fischer, all of Wisconsin. Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Schroeder, Mrs. Gust Schroeder, Mrs. John Strissel, Mrs. Rose and son, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Mohs and Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Schulz, all of Fergus Falls.

Pallbearers were six nephews, Herman Gollnick, Harry Bohn, Urban and Wilbur Bohn, Vilas Mittag and Alvin Schulz. Flower girls were nieces, Mrs. George Kath, Mrs. Dave Mittag, Miss Elaine Bohn and Mrs. Walter Mohs.

March 14, 1940

#### FUNERAL SERVICES FOR MIKE WALLOCH

#### BOY DROWNED AT BRECKENRIDGE SATURDAY

An all night search resulted in the finding of the body of Eugene Ridtke, 8, who broke through the ice in the Ottertail River at Bredkenridge, Saturday. The body was found 10' from where it went down. Victim was a son of Mr. and Mrs. Emil Ridtke, Great Northern engineer. Three drownings have occurred in Breckenridge this winter.

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March 14, 1940

#### GEORGE KURZ DIED AT ANNADALE

Mr. John Stenger received the sad news of the death of his nephew, George Kurz at Annadale, MN. Death was due to heart failure on Sunday morning. This is the 7th death of Mr. Stenger's immediate relatives within a year. The funeral was held Tuesday.

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March 21, 1940

#### T. STAGEBERG DIED

#### HERB EBEL DIED

Herb Ebel, Lidgerwood farmer, died Wednesday in the Dunseith Sanitarium.

Mr. Ebel had been confined in the Sanitariun for more than a year. The body arrived in Hankinson this morning. \* \* \* \* \* \* \* \* \* \* \* \* \* \* \* \* March 28, 1940

#### FUNERAL SERVICES FOR D. TOMAJER

D. Tomajer, long time resident of Hankinson, died at his home in this city Friday, March 22nd, after a year's illness.

Funeral services were held Monday morning from the Catholic Church with Rev. Jos. F. Studnicka conducting the services.

D. Tomajer was born in Broenthal, Austria in 1871. He was married in that country and in 1902 the family immigrated to the United States, coming to North Dakota to make their home.

#### MRS. CARL STACH DIED SATURDAY

How quickly and utterly unexpectedly a change may set in the tide of human fortune

was again demonstrated to the people of this community in the passing of Mrs. Carl Stach, pioneer resident of this section of North Dakota.

While apparently enjoying her usual health, Mrs. Stach suddenly collapsed while going about her housework in her home in this city on Wednesday noon of last week. In spite of every effort that was made on her behalf, she passed away less than three days later. Her death, which came as a shock to all who knew her, is an especially heavy blow to her aged husband, to her children and other members of the relationship. They may be assured of the sympathy of a wide circle of friends in their bereavement.

Jennie Marquette was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Marquette and was born at Chippewa Falls, WI., on April 15th, 1872. While still at home, she lived for longer and shorter periods of time in Iowa and South Dakota. In 1879 the family came to North Dakota by covered wagon. After living for a short time near what is now Mantador, they took up their residence on a farm about four miles west of Hankinson.

On November 24th, 1891, she was united in marriage to Mr. Carl Stach, the ceremony being performed by Rev. Hinck. After their marriage Mr. and Mrs. Stach moved on a farm about 5 miles northwest of Hankinson, where they continued to live until last fall, when they moved to Hankinson. Mrs. Stach passed away early on the morning of Saturday, March 30th, 1940, having attained the age of 67 years, 11 months and 15 days.

She leaves to mourn her: her husband, Mr. Carl Stach, nine sons, Theodore, Edwin, Robert, and Harry, of Hankinson; Arthur and Leonard, of Spokane, WA.; William of Minneapolis; Carl, Jr., of St. Paul; and Elmer, of Barney, ND.; three daughters; Mrs. Minnie Tayer, Union Gap, WA. Mrs. Anna Steinwehr, of Hankinson, and Mrs. Agnes Brunkhorst, of Barney. Her son, Walter, preceded her in death on January 29th, 1934. She also leaves four brothers and two sisters, William, of Gladstone, MI., Ralph, of Vancouver, WA.; Fred of Parker, SD., Dave, of Rutland, ND., Josephine, of Oakland, CA., and Gertrude, of Spokane, WA., twenty-five grandchildren, other relatives and friends.

Funeral services were held on Tuesday, April 2nd, 1940, beginning at 2 o'clock at Emmanuel Evangelical Church after a brief service at the home. Interment was made in Emmanuel's Cemetery near this city. Rev. Eyrich officiated at the services. The sympathy of the community is extended to the sorrowing relatives.

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April 4, 1940

## YOUNG LAD KILLED BY AUTO ON NO. 13

Dale Kiem, 8 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Roland Kiem, of Wahpeton, died of injuries suffered at 4 PM., Tuesday when struck by a car driven by Donald Bishop, of Wyndmere.

Dale rode from the Four Mile School, west of Wahpeton, with Mrs. Alvin Griepentrog and her four children, of Great Bend, who were enroute home from Wahpeton. Mrs. Griepentrog stopped at the Ott Witt farm, east of the school on Highway #13, where Dale's father was to call for him. The boy walked around the rear of the Griepentrog car and was struck by Bishop's machine, being hurled into a ditch full of water. Believed to have suffered compound fractures and a broken neck, he died a half hour later in the Witt home. Bishop was not held.

Besides his parents, Dale leaves a brother, Raymond, 13.

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April 4, 1940

## BROTHER OF MRS. E. A. LEA DIED IN WISCONSIN

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Lea left Wednesday for Mather, Wisconsin, where they were called by the death of Mrs. Lea's brother, Mr. I. N. Dewey, who died Tuesday.

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April 4, 1940

## JOSEPH FRAZER, FORMER RESIDENT, DIED

This item will be of interest to some of the older residents of Hankinson.

Joseph Frazer passed away on March 29th, at St. Cloud, MN., after a short illness. He was born near Cornwell, Ontario, Canada, and was about 80 years old. He was a resident of Hankinson for 20 years, making his home with the M. A. McDonald family. He left here about 15 years ago and had made his home at St. Cloud since that time.

Old Hankinson friends attending the funeral at The Holy Angels Church were Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Lenzen, Mrs. Leo Lenzen, Mrs. A. W. McDonald, of St. Cloud, and Mrs. O. H. Kahler, of Minneapolis.

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April 4, 1940

Mrs. J. C. Kjos, Secretary of the Richland County Nonpartisan League Committee, was injured, not critically, in an auto accident Friday afternoon in which Mrs. Mary Burnette, Fargo President of the Statewide Benevolent Society was killed.

In the car were Loretta Schaffer, Fargo, Carl Anderson, Page, Mrs. Kjos and Mrs. Burnette. The car in which the group were riding collided with a truck near Medina, ND. The five were returning from Steele, ND., where they had attended the funeral services for Mrs. Helga Kolstad, President of the North Dakota Nonpartisan Women's Clubs.

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April 4, 1940

#### TOM JERESZKE DIED

Word was received in the city that Mr. Tom Jereszke died at his home near Stiles today.

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#### FUNERAL HELD FOR MR. GILBERT BEITO

Gilbert Beito died at his home three miles south of New Effington Sunday night, at the age of 74 years.

Funeral services were held at the home at 1:30 o'clock Wednesday, and from the Zion Church at 2 o'clock, Rev. Hougen conducting the services. Mrs. Ewald Medenwaldt, of Victor, is a daughter of the deceased.

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April 11, 1940

## WM. STEIN DIED

Mrs. Robert Mohs received word Monday morning that her father, Wm. Stein, of Fergus Falls, had passed away Monday morning at 3 o'clock. Funeral services will be held there Wednesday afternoon. Mr. Stein has many other relatives residing in this community.

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April 11, 1940

#### MRS. JOS. BERG DIED TODAY

Mrs. Joseph Berg died at her home in this city at 5 o'clock today. Deceased was 75 years of age.

Funeral services will be held at 10 o'clock Saturday morning at St. Philip's Church, with burial in the Fairmount Catholic Cemetery.

Mrs. Berg was born in Indiana, later moving to Missouri, from where she came to Richland County, settling near Sonora. An obituary will be published next week.

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## GIRL WHO RESIDED IN CITY KILLED IN WAR

Death from the air during one of the many bombing raids of the Russian-Flemish War was the tragic fate meted out to a young lady who resided in Hankinson in 1922, and also death to her mother in the same raid.

Victims were Aili Kankkunen, 36, and her mother. They were trapped in their burning home in Koubala, Finland, on February 19th, after a devastating bombardment of incendiary bombs destroyed their home and the city. Her father received injuries in the same raid.

News of the tragic death came to Mr. and Mrs. M. Granell, of this city, April 13th, from an elder sister who posted the letter on March 2nd.

Miss Kankkunen came to Hankinson in 1922 and spent a year at the M. Granelll home, and a goodly number of our people became acquainted with the 18 year old girl during this time.

As the devastating war in Europe and Scandinavia progresses we are certain that many of our citizens who have relatives in the warring countries will be disheartened with very sad news in the coming months.

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April 18, 1940

#### GORDON J. BURROWS DIED

Mrs. Charles Falk received the news of the death of her nephew, Gordon John Burrows, at Sheyenne, ND., Monday. John was 9 months old and the son of Mr. and Mrs. James Burrows. He is survived by his parents and two brothers and two sisters.

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April 18, 1940

HAMMER....Mr. and Mrs. Carl Fladland, Lynn Fladland and their father, Andrew Fladland, returned home from Hannaford, ND., Thurday, where they had attended the funeral services for John Fladland, a brother of Andrew Fladland.

John Fladland died while on a visit with relatives at Billings, MT., and the remains were shipped back to his old home at Hannaford for burial.

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April 18, 1940

FUNERAL HELD FOR MRS. PAUL STRUBEL

Funeral services for Mrs. Paul Strubel were conducted on Sunday afternoon at 1 o'clock

from the home and at 2 o'clock from the Evangelical Church in Great Bend, with Rev. Hoy officiating. Burial was in Great Bend.

Mrs. Strubel had been ill for the past six years. She was active in church affairs and is well known all over eastern and central Richland County. She was born June 1, 1876, at Great Bend, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Stoltenow, early pioneers of Great Bend Territory.

After her marriage to Paul Strubel, the couple made their home on a farm south of Great Bend, which they owned and operated until about 20 years ago when they came to Wahpeton.

She is survived by her husband and three children. They are: Robert, of Great Bend, Mrs. Simon Dosch, of Great Bend, Mrs. Emil Mitzel, of Great Bend. Two brothers, Herman Stoltenow, of Great Bend, and William Stoltenow, of Yakima, WA., also survive.

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April 25, 1940

#### MRS. ERNESTINE STREGE DIED TODAY

Mrs. Ernestine Strege (nee Bohn) passed away at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Bohn, in Great Bend, early this morning, following a serious illness of more than ten weeks.

Funeral services will be held Saturday afternoon at the home at Great Bend at 12:30 and at the Lidgerwood Lutheran Church at 2 PM. Reverends Cloeter and Rengstorf will officiate.

Deceased was born in Brandenburg, Germany, on June 9th, 1856, later coming to the United States. She settled in Wisconsin, and there married John Strege on March 6th, 1874. Her husband preceded her in death in August of 1932.

A more complete obituary will be available next week.

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April 25, 1940

GREAT BEND....Adolph Ziegelman received word from Garfield, MN., Saturday morning, that Grandma Briske died Friday at her home near Garfield. She was 81 years old on April 16th.

Funeral services will be held Tuesday afternoon. Those who motored to Garfield Monday to attend the funeral were Mr. and Mrs. Fred Ziegelman and Wilbur, Mr. and Mrs. Otto Ziegelman, August Ziegelman and Mrs. Adolph Ziegelman.

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April 25, 1940

Marion L. Studnicka returned Thursday from Kensal, ND., where she attended the funeral of Mrs. J. A. LaQua's mother, Mrs. Johanna Clancy, on Monday.

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April 25, 1940

## FUNERAL HELD FOR MRS. AUG. BOHN

Funeral services for Mrs. August Bohn, 93, who died on Friday evening at her home in

Great Bend, from heart trouble, incidental to her advanced years, were held Monday from the home and from the Lutheran Church in Great Bend. Rev. Rengstorf officiated.

The aged woman is survived by four generations; six children, 20 grandchildren, 31 great-grandchildren, and 4 great-grandchildren.

Albertina Friederika Hammermeister was born in Pommeran, Germany, Sept. 14th, 1846, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ferdinand Hammermeister. She was confirmed in the Lutheran faith on Sept. 16, 1860, and was married to August Bohn on Oct. 16th, 1868, in Germany.

Mr. and Mrs. Bohn came to America in 1872, and settled first in Wisconsin, coming to North Dokota in March of 1878. They established their home in the Great Bend vicinity and Mrs. Bohn has lived near or in Great Bend since.

Surviving are four sons and two daughters: Theo. Bohn and Emil Bohn, of Great Bend, Mrs. Gust Stack, of Jamestown, Mrs. Gust Berg, of Billings, MT., Ludwig Bohn, of Wyndmere, and Reinhard, of Pompey's Pillar, MT.

Preceeding Mrs. Bohn in death was her husband and four children; Mrs. Fred Worner, William Bohn, Emma Bohn and Amelia Bohn.

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May 2, 1940

#### ATTEND FUNERAL

BELFORD....Mr. and Mrs. John Krause and Grandma Krause accompanied by Mrs. Albert Lelm motored to St. Joe., MN., Saturday morning where they attended the funeral of Mr. Arnold Bernard. They returned home the same night.

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May 2, 1940

HAMMER....Eddie Anderson, of Wilmot, was killed about 3 o'clock Monday afternoon when he fell 30 feet from scaffolding at the Price elevator at Claire City. He was assisting in wrecking the elevator for John Dittes, of Corona, and fell inside a bin, breaking his neck.

Deceased leaves a son, Duane, in this city; his mother, Mrs. Magnus Anderson, three brothers and one sister, at Hazel, ND.

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May 2, 1940

HAMMER....A stillborn baby came to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Olson last Saturday. Funeral services were conducted last Sunday at the Presbyterian Church at Claire City, Rev. McMartin officiating. Interment was made in the cemetery east of Claire City.

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May 2, 1940

#### FAIRMOUNT PIONEER WOMAN DIED

FAIRMOUNT....Monday afternoon word came that Mrs. Anna L. Mergens, a resident of Fairmount since 1895, had died. Mrs. Mergens had been confined to her home for some time.

The family had conducted a drug store business in Fairmount since Mrs. Mergens and her husband, the late Peter Mergens, came to this community on July 4th, 1895.

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May 2, 1940

ATTEND FUNERAL OF WHEATON PASTOR'S WIFE

Rev. and Mrs. Klausler on Monday afternoon attended the funeral of Mrs. E. C. Hallstein, wife of the Lutheran pastor at Wheaton, who died suddenly this past Thursday, leaving four small children motherless.

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May 9, 1940

## CAYUGA ES-SERVICE MAN IS KILLED

CAYUGA....A reward of \$100 is ready for any one who can provide information which will solve the hit and run death early Sunday morning near Cayuga, ND., of Lawrence Slaby, 48, of Cayuga.

The reward was announced Tuesday by State's Attorney W. C, King, of Forman, ND., who said "We need the help of every law-abiding citizen in solving this crime and bringing about the arrest and conviction of the guilty person."

Slaby's mangled body was found along the highway over the hill just south of Cayuga. Slaby was an ex-service man being the first Cayuga lad to enlist in the World War in 1917. He served with the 17th Inf.

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May 9, 1940

#### FUNERAL SERVICES: MRS. CARL KRAUSE

Funeral services were held at the Belford Church on Monday, May 6th, for Mrs. Carl Krause, who passed away May 2nd. Rev. W. Cordts officiating. Pallbearers were six grandsons, Rueben, Leander and Gordon Leim, Elmer and Alfred Krause and Wallace Bellin. She was laid to rest beside her husband in the church cemetery.

Mrs. Krause had been in ill health for a number of years, but just lately had been feeling quite well. On Sunday a week ago she attended the Confirmation services at the Belford Church, when two nephews and another lad for whom she had been sponser were among those confirmed. On Thursday she visited with her sister, Mrs. Alm, at Wahpeton. Seemingly in good health she retired to rest, chatting with her sister about plans for the morrow, but shortly after midnight, Friday morning, May 3rd, she entered that rest from which there is no awakening till the great day of resurrection. She had reached the age of 72 years, 6 months and one day.

Minna Krause, nee lierman, was born at Adamsdorf, Brandenburg, Germany, on November 2nd, 1867. She came to America in 1883 and on November 10th, 1887 was married to Carl Krause, of Belford Township. With him she shared joy and sorrow, labor and reward for almost 44 years until his death on August 4th, 1931. They first made their home near Webster, SD., moving to the farm near Mantador in 1904. Here she spent the rest of her life and here the large family was reared to man and womanhood. All of her twelve children are still living, eight sons, Robert, Arthur, John, Theodore, Charles, Walter, Harry and Lawrence, and four daughters, Hetty, Mrs. Albert Lelm; Martha, Mrs. Richard Bellin; Minnie, Mrs. Les Sands; Esther, Mrs. Herman Wenschlag. Besides these, she leaves to mourn her loss, forty grandchildren and two great-grandchildren and three sisters, Mrs. Mathilda Alm, of Wahpeton; Mrs. Amelia Bernard, of Cold Springs, MN.; and Mrs. Bertha Krause, of Webster, SD.

We knew Mrs. Krause as a faithful church member, a sincere Christian, a true mother

to her large family, a real helpmeet to her husband, a good neighbor ever ready to help where help was needed. We believe we are voicing her thought when we pray with the poet:

"Hold Thou Thy cross before my closing eyes, Shine through the gloom and point me to the skies.

Heaven's morning breaks, and earth's vain shadows flee, In life, in death, O Lord, Abide with me."

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May 9, 1940

BELFORD....The funeral services for Mrs. Carl Krause were held Monday afternoon. Those who came from a distance to attend were: Mrs. Wm. Krause, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Smith, Mr. John Smith, of Webster, SD.; Mrs. Henry Grody, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Machmiller, Mr. and Mrs. Emil Krause, all of Bristol, SD., Mr. and Mrs. John Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Halberlaben, Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Metz, Mr. and Mrs. A. Rana Haugen, of Roslyn, SD., Mr. and Mrs. Herman Krause and Carl Krause, of Waubay, SD., Mrs. Frank Wenslag, of Sisseton, SD., Mr. and Mas. Clarence Erickson, of Watertown, SD., Mrs. Lizzie Brandel, Mrs. Metta Vollmer, Mrs. Assness, all of Claire City, SD., Mrs. Arnold Bernard and Mr. and Mrs. Atfred Bernard, of Collegeville, MN., Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Bernard, of Cold Springs, MN., Mr. L. Bernard, of Fairmount, ND., Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Lierman, of Kirk Haven, ND., Mr. and Mrs. Carl Payne, of Fargo, ND., Mrs. A. H. Alm, Mr. and Mss. D. S. McIlwain, Mrs. Carl Witt and daughters, Billie and Mrs. Bob Keenen and Pat, Mrs. Cliff McIlwain and Mrs. Walt McIlwain, Mr. Arnold Olson, all of Wahpeton, ND., and Mrs. Wm. Pelvit, of Breckenridge, MN.

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May 9, 1940

## TWO DEATHS OCCUR IN COMMUNITY

Hilda Tina King, of this city, passed away Monday morning, May 14th, at the age of 67 years, 2 months and 29 days, death occurring at the hospital, where she had been seriously ill for several months.

Funeral services were held Thursday afternoon (today) with Rev. Osborn officiating.

Hilda Tina Schroeder was born Feb. 14th, 1873, at Mayville, WI., where she spent her
early childhood. She moved to Richland County while still a young girl, with her parents,

Mr. and Mrs. Johan Schroeder, who located on a homestead eight miles northwest of Hankinson.

In 1895, she was united in marriage to Emmet A. King to which union two sons were born, Harry E. and Chas. H. The family moved to Aberdeen SD., returning to Hankinson three years later where she was engaged in the restaurant business with her husband. Her busband preceded her in death January 6th, 1932.

She leaves to mourn her death, two sons and their wives, Mr. and Mrs. Harry E. King and Mr. and Mrs. Chas. H. King, both of Hankinson, 6 grandchildren, one sister, Mrs. Chas. Hein, of Hankinson, one brother, Emil Schroeder, of Fairmount, besides nieces, nephews and numerous other relatives.

At her bedside at death were her sons, Harry E. and Chas. H., and wife, also Mrs. Wm. Schaefer, Mrs. Ellis and nurse, Bonnie Letzel.

Pallbearers were Alfred Hein, Chas. Schroeder, Anton Lenzen, Leonard Schafer, Daniel Schroeder, Harry Schroeder. \* \* \* \* \* \* \* \* \* \* \* \* \* \* \* May 16, 1940

#### BERNARD SCHMIDT

Funeral services were conducted Monday evening for Bernard Schmidt, for many years a resident of Richland County. Mr. Schmidt died Friday at the St. Francis Hospital after an illness lasting about a week. Death was caused by pneumonia.

Mr. Schmidt was born in Germany, February 12, 1873, came to Wahpeton in 1893. He was employed for a time at the Lane Farm and for 18 years was a miller in the New Star Roller Mill here. Becoming ill, he left the milling trade and returned to Germany in 1904 to attempt farming there. After 18 months in Germany, the family decided to return to America where opportunities were greater and went on a farm between Hankinson and Fairmount where they were located for 28 years.

In 1933 they moved to Doran, in 1936 to Campbell, MN., and last fall to Evanston, MN. Bernard Schmidt was married in 1902 to Mary Krysch in St. John's Church here. She survives as do two sons, Leo and Math, at home. A brother and two sisters are believed to be living in Germany.

The body lay in state at the Schmitt and Olson Chapel until the time of the funeral. Solemn Requeim was from the St. John's Church with Rev. Meyers, Rev. Jande and Rev. Bierens taking part. Pallbearers were Martin Eberhardt, Louis Schiltz, Michael Birnbaum, Emil Meide, Jake Wawers, and Matt Kinn. Burial was in Calvary Cemetery.

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May 16, 1940

#### FUNERAL FOR MRS. DAHL SATURDAY

Mrs. W. B. Dahl passed away Tuesday evening at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Max Wipperman, Jr., in this city.

Mrs. Dahl was born on Dec. 28th, 1866, at Haa Preste Gjred, Norway, and was the widow of the late Rev. W. B. Dahl.

Surviving are: Hilda Dahl, Sioux Falls, SD.; Arthur Dahl, Detroit Lakes, MN., Gerhard Dahl, Seattle, WA., Mrs. Kay Larsen, Bemidji, MN., Spencer Dahl, Fairfield, MT., Oliver Dahl, Ismay, MT.; Mrs. Max Wipperman, Jr., Hankinson, ND.

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May 23, 1940

## SOO TRAIN KILLS THREE SATURDAY

## Engine Off Track

No. 250, eastbound, was delayed last night. The engine hit a de-rail and went off the track at Oakes. ++++++++

Three persons were killed at Elbow Lake Saturday when their car was struck by a Soo Line passenger train. The train, No. 105, was over an hour late in Hankinson due to the accident.

The dead: Jens Jeppson, 61; farmer; his sister, Marie Jeppson; his brother-in-law, William Greening.

The crash occurred about 2 PM., at a grade crossing one and a half miles west of Elbow Lake. All died instantly, said Coroner E. G. Reede. The car was smashed. He said there were no witnesses.

Miss Jeppson was thrown about 100 feet and Jeppson about 65 feet. Greening was trapped in the wreckage and carried 115 feet along the right of way.

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May 23, 1940

#### SOUTHWEST PIONEER DIED MAY 22

Matt Sand of northwest of Rosholt, died Wednesday night at his home. He was 72 years old. We received news of the death too late for an obituary.

#### FRANK WENSLAG DIED

Mr. and Mrs. John Krause and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Krause motored to Claire City, SD., Monday where they attended the funeral of Mr. Frank Wenslag.

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May 23, 1940

#### NO CLUES OF SLABY HIT-RUN AUTOIST

Although Sargent County has offered \$100.00 for information leading to the arrest of the auto driver who killed Lawrence Slaby in Cayuga two weeks ago, no clues have been found.

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May 23, 1940

#### BROTHER DIED

Mr. Arthur Woolsey died Wednesday evening, May 22nd, at the hospital in Kansas City, MO. He is a brother of Mr. S. H. Woolsey, of Hankinson.

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May 30, 1940

## QUAMMEN DIED AT LIDGERWOOD

LIDGERWOOD....B. O. Quammen, President of the First National Bank, a Lidgerwood business man for 33 years, died Friday after an illness of a year. Kidney trouble and complications were the cause of death.

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June 6, 1940

#### MRS. L. W. BAILEY

Funeral services were held Tuesday in Lidgerwood for Mrs. L. W. Bailey, for many years resident of east Richland. Rev. James A. Sanaker officiated.

Mrs. Bailey died Saturday of a liver ailment. Surviving her are three sons: Lee and Effner L. Bailey, of Geneseo, ND., and Roy J. Bailey, of Seattle, WA.; two daughters, Mrs. Leo J. Brinkman, of Hankinson, and Hazel Bailey, of Chicago. She was born in Nicollet, MN., May 1st, 1870. In 1891 she was married to L. W. Bailey.

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June 13, 1940

## FIREMEN VIEW TERRIBLE WRECK.

Hankinson delegates to the Firemen's convention returned home Thursday. Enroute home they viewed the mangled corpse of Leon Bakkum, of Mayville, who was killed near Gardner, when his car, attempting to pass a truck, crashed headlong into another truck.

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June 13, 1940

#### TRAGIC DEATH OF ALAN JONES IN CALIFORNIA

Alan Jones, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Jones (for over 40 years mail clerk on the Soo Line out of Hankinson) met tragic death in California. We are in receipt of a newspaper clipping which tells of the accident, but dates are not given. The story from the Santa Ana News is as follows:

#### TRABUCO POOL TRAGEDY SCENE

Alan J. Jones, 18 year old Santa Ana High School student and son of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur P. Jones, 2001 Maple Street, yesterday entered in two competitions and lost one, the one with death.

The youth with two companions Richard Ernhart and Norman Dubeque, both of Santa Ana, had gone swimming in a small pool in Trabuco Creek while on a camping trip.

#### UNDER-WATER CONTEST

The trio held a contest to see which of the three could remain under the water the longest. Holding his nose, Alan sank to the bottom of the creek and for more than a minute remained under water. Rising to the surface gasping for breath, he said, "Well I guess that sets a record."

With that he attempted to make his way to the bank of the creek where he collapsed and fell. Alarmed, his companions called to Forest Ranger Joseph Platz. Platz immediately called to the Orange County ambulance service and then attempted artificial respiration. Meanwhile the ambulance was making its way to the scene of the tragedy but was unable to park within five miles of the pool. Platz constructed a make shift ambulance with a pick-up truck and while making their way down from the hills administered the respiration treatment.

GRIM RACE STARTS

Meanwhile the second race was on, this time with death. A Santa Ana fire department resusicator squad had been dispatched to the scene and attempted to revive the youth. Efforts failed and Alan was pronounced dead upon his arrival at the Orange County Hospital. Officials said the boy presumably died as the result of a heart ailment.

The Jones youth is survived by his parents, and three brothers, Irving, of Anchorage, AK.; Richard, of St. Paul, MN.; and Merriam, of Mayaguez, Puerto Rico.

Funeral services will be conducted at 10 AM., tomorrow at the Winbigler Mortuary with the Rev. R. C. Dahl, pastor of the Christian Missionary Alliance Church officiating. Private cremation services will follow at the Fairhaven crematory.

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June 13, 1940

HAMMER....O. C. Olson Died....News comes that Ole C. Olson has passed away at the Tekakwitha Hospital in Sisseton where he was taken a few days ago for medical aid. Mr. Olson has been in failing health for several months, his ailment being heart trouble.

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June 13, 1940

#### A TRIBUTE TO JOHN ARTHUR WOOLSEY

#### BY His Sister

John Arthur Woolsey was born at Waterloo, Indiana, December 17th, 1876 and came, with his parents and family to Sargent County, ND., when he was about 11 years old.

The West held much of interest to him and he grew up ambitious and studious and in the little schoolhouse where debates were held his side was always the winner. But before the schoolhouse was built, church services were held in the depot and he was in the first group taken into membership.

Only a few years later, when in the bloom of young manhood, his ambition overtaxed his strength and his health broke making it necessary for him to forego his cherished place for a higher education...a bitter experience for such as he...and he went to Oklahoma where he participated in the rush for land when the reservation was opened for settlement. He secured a homestead and spent some time there, taking up salesmanship to help out... which profession he followed more or less regularly the remainder of his life. He was in business with his brother in Portland, OR., for a time and then established a business of his own which World War conditions caused hime to close out.

He married Miss Kate Gilmore, of North Plate, NE., and to them were born two children, Rosella Ann, who is a member of the Sisterhood of the Episcopal Church, and Theodore, a student of architecture in a University in Chicago.

After a long period of illness he passed away to his reward in a Kansas City Hospital on May 22nd. His parents home was a home of music and he was one of a sextet of brothers and sisters whre his fine base voice contribute d to the harmony. Three of the sextet remain, Richard, of Shakopee, MN., Solon H., and Eileen, Mrs. George Coppin, of Hankinson.

It seems fitting to close this small tribute with the lines of his favorite hymn, "SELVIN."

"If on a quiet sea, Toward heaven we calmly sail,
With grateful hearts, O God to Thee, We'll own the favoring gale.

But...should the surges rise, And rest delay to come,

Blest be the tempest, kind the storm, That drives us nearer home.

Soon shall our doubts and fears, All yield to They control; Thy tender mercies shall illume, The midnight of the soul.

Teach us in every state, To make Thy will our own,

And when the joys of sense depart, To live by faith alone."

....Contributed....

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June 13, 1940

## ATTEND FUNERAL

After receiving workd from relatives in New Salem, OR., that her father, Mr. Hall, had passed away, Mrs. Alfred Hein left Friday for that city to attend the funeral.

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June 20, 1940

#### FUNERAL HELD FOR EMIL A. MITZEL

Emil August Mitzel, member of a pioneer Great Bend family, died at the Breckenridge hospital Saturday, June 22nd, following an operation. Funeral services were conducted Tuesday afternoon at Great Bend with Rev. Hoy officiating. Services were from the home at 1 o'clock and from the church at 2 o'clock.

Mr. Mitzel was born near Great Bend, July 25, 1897, and spent his lifetime on the farm home on which he was farming at the time of his death. He was the son of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Mizzel. They came to Great Bend in the early pioneer days.

Emil Mitzel was a director of the Farmers Elevator at Great Bend. He was a member of the Evangelical Church. He was married and the father of two sons, Herman and Wallace.

Four years ago he was married to Lillian Harris, of Wahpeton. His wife, his sons, his mother and three stepchildren, Leona, Lorraine and Paul survive him. Two brothers William, of Dwight, and Robert, of Great Bend, and a sister, Mrs. Robert Strubel, of Great Bend, also survive. His father and three brothers and three sisters preceded him death.

Pallbearers were: Arlie Schultz, Oliver Schultz, Charles Gutzmer, Vern Umbriet, Rudy Beling and Cyrus Berndt.

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June 27, 1940

## GAMBLE-ROBINSON SALESMAN DEAD

Mr. Corbin Feely, traveling saleman for Gamble and Robinson, of Fairmount, until a few months ago, died at the Brown Hospital Tuesday. Funeral arrangements will be made pending the arrival of two brothers from Idaho. He is survived by two sons.

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June 27, 1940

#### ATTEND FUNERAL

John Wickman left Wednesday for Denver, CO., in response to a telegram that his wife's aunt had passed away in that city. Mrs. Wickman had been at the bedside for two weeks.

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June 27, 1940

## NEWS OF DEATH

GREAT BEND....Mrs. Emilie Griepentrog received the sad news Saturday from Tigerton, WI., that her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Herman Griepentrog, died there in a hospital following an operation. Funeral services were held Monday afternoon. Those attending from here were: Mr. Anton Griepentrog, Mrs. Art Griepentrog, Mrs. Albert Umbriet and Vernie.

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July 4, 1940

Mr. and Mrs. Kike Keidel and Mrs. E. W. Allen motored to Wahpeton, Monday morning to attend the funeral of their friend, Mrs. Hess, who died there Friday.

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July 11, 1940

MANTADOR....Mr. and Mrs. Peter Mersch and sons, Vernon and Norbert and Mrs. Henry Ecker motored to Kransburg, SD., to attend the funeral of a relative. They also visited relatives at Madison, MN., enroute home.

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July 11, 1940

#### DEATH OF LIDGERWOOD WOMAN

Mrs. Frank Pokorny, of Lidgerwood, who died in the Brown Hospital July 10th of a heart ailment, was buried Saturday.

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## MRS. VEFLIN DIED

The community was grieved to hear of the passing of Mrs. Knute Veflin, who passed away at her home, Wednesday afternoon. We express heartfelt sympathy to the bereaved family.

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#### CHRISTINA WANOUS DIED

Miss Christina Wanous died Monday at a Fargo Hospital of a heart attack. Miss Wanous was a former resident of Lidgerwood, a sister of the late Mr. Louis Wanous.

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July 25, 1940

#### GALEN DAHL DIED

The community was deeply grieved to hear of the passing of Galen Dahl, the youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Dahl, who passed away at the Sisseton Hospital, Sunday morning. We express heartfelt sympathy to the bereaved family.

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July 25, 1940

## KILLED BY BULL

A 69-year-old woman, Mrs. Andrew Johanson, was fatally injured by a bull on Sunday, near Veblen. Mrs. Johanson, while driving trukeys through the field was attacked by the animal which was regarded as a pet although he had shown signs of viciousness by chasing a daughter the previous day. Mrs. Johanson received several fractured ribs and internal injuries. Several hours passed before she was found by members of her family and she passed away in Dr. Brinkman's office in Veblen.

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July 25, 1940

## TRAIN VICTIM'S RITES TUESDAY

WYNDMERE....Funeral services were held on Tuesday at Minneapolis for Christ C. Lehmann, Minneapolis, farm worker, killed here as he jumped from a freight train passing through Wyndmere.

Employed on a farm near here, Lehmann was accustomed to riding a freight back to town. Thursday, however, he caught a through freight that failed to stop. He jumped near the depot, but struck a switch standard and was thrown back beneath the train. The accident went unnoticed until a transient, also riding the train, reported it at Enderlin.

Born at Kent, MN., Lehmann was a World War veteran. He enlisted in Company I at Wahpeton and later was transferred to Company H. 26th Infantry, and served in five major battles. Since the war he had lived in Minneapolis.

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August 1, 1940

## MRS. ED GOODIJOHN DIED

BRECKENRIDGE, MN....Funeral services were conducted at Breckenridge for Mrs. Ed Goodijohn, 30, who passed away Friday after a brief illness. Rev. Hoirile officiated and burial was made in Riverside Cemetery. Mrs. Goodijohn was the former Ann Slaby, of Lidgerwood, and leaves her husband, five brothers, a sister and her parents, besides her four children, Edward, Arlene, Kenneth and Lois.

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August 8, 1940

## AUGUST KNAAK DIED SATURDAY

August Knaak, well known to many people in this community where he was a resident for many years, passed away at the County Farm near Wahpeton last Saturday morning. His last illness overtook him while he was helping with the harvest work a few miles west of Hankinson.

August Knaak was born on April 9, 1875, in Town Herman near Mayville, WI. His father's name was also August Knaak and his mother was Johanna nee Strubel. In his boyhood he came to Hankinson and was confirmed by Rev. August Warnecke, the first pastor of Emmanuel Evangelical Church.

In March of 1904, he was united in marriage with Miss Anna Klinger, who preceded him in death on December 3, 1910.

Mr. Knaak attained the age of 65 years, three months and 25 days. His passing is mourned by one daughter, Mrs. Florence Bodtke, two sons, Alfred and Arnold, all three being residents of Marshfield, WI; three brothers, Albert, of Hankinson; Ferdinand, of Marshfield, WI.; and Emil, of St. Paul, MN.; one sister, Mrs. C. F. Buckhouse, of Hankinson, four grand-children, and other relatives and many friends.

Funeral services were held on Tuesday, August 6th, 1940, beginning at Wipperman Chapel at 1:45 PM and being continued at Emmanuel Evangelical Church, Rev. Eyrich officiating at the services. Interment was made in Emmanuel Cemetery near this city.

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August 8, 1940

#### FERN ARDIENNE KUEHN

## 15 MONTH OLD CHILD KILLED BY TRUCK

ROSHOLT....The 15 months old daughter, Evelyn, of Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Hornbeck, was killed Tuesday afternoon when hit by the bumper of a truck, which was being driven out to the field with lunch for harvest hands. The little one was unseen by the occupants of the truck, presumably stepping in front as the truck was started up. The baby was rushed to the hospital, but only lived 30 minutes after the accident.

The accident happened at the Palie Madsen farm, 5 miles east of Rosholt. The Hornbecks are recent arrivals here and Mr. Hornbeck is employed by the Madsens. There are four other children in the family.

Funeral will be held at Bethania Church at 2 PM., Thursday. Interment made in the West Cemetery.

\* \* \* \* \* \* \* \* \* \* \* \* \* \* \* \* August 8, 1940

#### DEATH OF UNCLE

Lawrence Biggs received word today that his uncle, W. H. Freeman, a retired mail clerk, died at his home near Fenton, IA. Mr. Biggs received the notice in the Iowa paper.

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August 8, 1940

#### MRS. SPETHMAN DIED

NEW EFFINGTON....Mrs. Anna O. Spethman, of New Effington, died at her home in New Effington, July 29th, passing away from complications from an attack of bronchial asthma.

Anna O. Spethman was born April 12th, 1880, at Braaten, MN. She leaves to mourn her departure one son, Francis, 2 daughters, Doris, and Marie, Mrs. Sheldon.

#### FUNERAL HELD FOR MR. JOHN KRAUSE

Mr. John Krause died at the local hospital here Monday, August 12th, after an illness of only a few weeks. Funeral services will be held today (Thursday) in the Congregational Church, Rev. Evereitt Sheldon, of Forman, officiating, at 2 o'clock PM.

John Krause was born in Germany, July 3rd, 1857, and immigrated to America in the late '80's. He settled first at Mankato, MN., where he resided 7 years. On Nov. 26th, 1887, he was married to Albertina Brommund.

He came to Richland County and homesteaded five miles southeast of Hankinson where he, with his family, made their home until 1925, when they moved to town and made their home with a son, Eric Krause.

# MISS SORVIK DIED IN AUTO COLLISION

Miss Ione Connie Sorvik, of Barnesville, MN., died in a Moorehead hospital from injuries received in an auto accidnet in which T. F. McDonald, of Bismarck, was killed. Miss Sorvik was known in Hankinson where she was a guest of Miss Gwen Stenchjem, former teacher in local schools. She also attended the Science School.

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August 15, 1940

## ATTEND FUNERAL

Mr. Fred Dibbert and daughter, Harriet, and Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Dibbert and family motored to Belle Plaine, MN., Tuesday morning to attend the funeral of a relative.

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August 15, 1940

#### MRS. IRELAND DIED

Word received by friends in Hankinson tell of the recent death of Mrs. S. P. Ireland, at Grand Forks, ND. Deceased resided for many years in this city, where her husband conducted the Ireland Lumber Co.

Surviving are two sons, Guy and Van; daughter, Mrs. M. Woodward. She was 91 years old.

Her husband and one son, Roy, preceeded her in death.

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August 22, 1940

#### ROBERT DRAEGER FUNERAL FRIDAY

Military Rites for Soldier of U. S. A. Who Died at Ft. Lewis, Wash.

.....Details of the fatal accidnet arrived today. Corporal Draeger was a member of the Ft. Lewis Fire Department, and as he was riding the side of a racing truck answering a fire alarm, it skidded, and the soldier was crushed between it and a building.

Martial Guard, Serg. Livermore, came with the body of our home lad.

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Robert Draeger, 30, of this city, passed away Sunday at Ft. Lewis, WA., where he was a soldier in the United States Army. Word of the death contained no particulars. Robert had recently been stationed at Ft. Lewis, following maneuvers in the south.

Robert Reinhold Draeger was born in Hankinson, Jan. 6th, 1910, and here he received his education in local schools. He joined the United States Army in 1928, and was on his fourth enlistment period.

Surviving are: his mother, Mrs. Julius Draeger; one sister, Mrs. Helen Fitzgerald, of Chicago, two brothers, Paul, of Chicago, and Oscar, of Hankinson.

Funeral services will be held Friday at the home at 1:45 o'clock, and at Emmanuel Ev. Church at 2 o'clock. Military honors will be accorded by local ex-service men of the American Legion.

The corpse arrived tonight with a U. S. A. Military escort from Ft. Lewis.

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August 22, 1940

#### FORMER GAME WARDEN DIED

OAKES....Oakes lost one of its most highly respected citizens when death claimed the life of George A. Wilson at St. Luke's Hospital in Fargo Friday morning, August 16th.

Mr. Wilson was a sportsman, and former game warden in this community.

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